PROFESSIONAL MARKET STUDY FOR THE VILLAGES at PARK VIEW APPLICATION # - 2008-040 A PROPOSED LIHTC FAMILY DEVELOPMENT

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INTRODUCTION

The proposed multi-family development will target LIHTC/Market Rate eligible households in the southern portion of DeKalb County, between I-285 and Lithonia, Georgia.

The market study assignment was to ascertain market demand for a proposed new construction multi-family LIHTC/Market Rate development to be known as the **Villages at Park View**, for the Georgia Department of Community Affairs, Office of Affordable Housing, under the following scenario:

Project Mix

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2BR/1b	4 0	Na	850		
3BR/2b	10	Na	1,100		
Total	50				

Project Rents:

The proposed development will target approximately 30% of the units at 50% or below of area median income (AMI); 60% of the units at 60% AMI and 10% at Market. Rent includes water, sewer and trash removal.

PROPOSED PROJECT RENTS @ 50% AMI					
Bedroom Mix	# of Units	Net Rent	Utility Allowance*	Gross Rent	
2BR/1b	12	\$690	\$102	\$792	
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Bedroom Mix	# of Units	Net Rent	Utility Allowance*	Gross Rent	
2BR/1b	3	\$769	\$102	\$871	
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In addition, there are several terms that will be used throughout the study, which have very specific meanings within the program assisted framework, but which may have other meanings in other contexts. Two sets of terms in particular are identified here to avoid confusion in the study.

Type of Project Rent Structure:

- <u>Conventional</u> also referred to as "market rate", reflects projects which are developed without any program funding from public or private sources, using equity and conventional finance. Rents are established by the owner, typically without regulatory constraints.
- <u>Assisted</u> projects that use some form of program financing designed to make rents more affordable. The financing may include federal and state grant, loan or loan guarantee programs; the Low Income Housing Tax Credit program, direct rental assistance and in some cases private grants or preferential loans.
- <u>Subsidized</u> projects that have direct rental assistance, which allows tenants to pay only an affordable proportion of their income for rent, with the balance paid by another agency (usually governmental). These subsidies are <u>project-based</u>; that is, the subsidies are attached to the units. <u>Tenant-based</u> subsidies are carried by the tenants, who may use them is assisted or conventional projects. Note: all subsidized projects are also assisted projects, but not all assisted projects are subsidized.

Rent Inclusions:

- <u>Gross Rent</u> refers to the total rent payment, including utilities. (Cable and telephone utilities are excluded from this definition.) Gross rents are usually identified as a monthly rent. Gross rents are used in the study for program usage such as LIHTC maximum rents or HUD Fair Market Rents.
- <u>Net Rent</u> sometimes known as "street rent", involves the rent paid to the landlord, and usually excludes some or all utilities. Net rents are used in comparisons with

conventional projects, and are also usually identified as a monthly rent.

• <u>Utility Allowance</u> - is the amount of the Gross Rent not included in the Net Rent, and reflects the estimated amount a tenant will have to pay out-of-pocket for utilities.

As a final terminology note, <u>capture rate</u> and <u>penetration rate</u> are used interchangeably in this study. They refer to the proportion of a defined total pool of tenants that a specific project must capture (or the degree to which the project must penetrate the total pool) in order to be fully occupied. Different capture rates will be calculated for different market pools - for example, the capture rate applied to the total income-qualified renter base will be different from the capture rate applied to a annual target demand pool. Both are used in this study.

The analyst performed an in-depth, on-site analysis in the market area, surrounding neighborhoods, and the site. Personal interviews were conducted with local area real estate professionals and other persons knowledgeable in the local area housing market.

Among sources utilized and cited throughout the study are the U.S. Census of Population and Housing, the Georgia Department of Labor, the Metro Atlanta Chamber of Commerce, the DeKalb Chamber of Commerce, the DeKalb County Office of Economic Development, the US Department of Housing and Urban Development and pertinent information and materials collected from local professional real estate sources and subject related service providers.

Other, specific elements of the methodology are discussed in the text of the study.

STATEMENT OF CONTINGENT AND LIMITING CONDITIONS

- 1. The consultant declares that he does not have, and will not have the future, any material interest in the proposed project, and that there is no identity between him and the client of the study. Further, the consultant declares that the payment of the study fee is in no way continent upon a favorable study conclusion, nor upon approval of the project by any agency before or after the fact. The analyst certifies that no attempt was made to contact the applicant directly for any information in the market study.
- 2. The information on which this analysis of conditions in Lithonia and DeKalb County has been obtained from the most pertinent and current available sources, and every reasonable effort has been made to insure its accuracy and reliability. However, the consultant assumes no responsibility for inaccuracies in reporting by any of the Federal, State, or Municipal agencies cited, nor for any data withheld or erroneously reported by private sources cited during the normal course of a thorough investigation. The consultant reserves the right to alter conclusions on the basis of any discovered inaccuracies.
- 3. No opinion of a legal or engineering nature is intentionally expressed or implied.
- 4. The fee charged for this study does not include payment for testimony nor further consultation.
- 5. This analysis assumes a free and fair real estate market place, with no constraints imposed by any market element based on race, age or gender, except for age / handicapped eligibility established by law for units designated by elderly households and the handicapped.
- 6. The consultant affirms that a member of the firm made a physical inspection of the site and market area, and that information has been used in the full assessment of the need and demand for new rental units.

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SECTION A

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

1. Market Area and Site Description:

• The Primary Market Area (PMA) for the proposed multifamily development consists of the following Census Tracts in Lithonia and DeKalb County:

232.03, 233.02, 233.03, 233.06, 233.07, 233.09, 233.10, 234.12, 234.13, 234.14, 234.15, 234.16, 234.17, 234.18, and 235.07.

- The overall character of the neighborhood within the immediate vicinity of the site can be defined as a mixture of land use including: single-family and multifamily residential, nearby institutional use, and vacant land use. The site is centrally located in Lithonia, within the city limits.
- The subject is accessible to major employers, shopping, healthcare services, retail and social services, recreational areas, and the local and regional highway system. All major facilities in the PMA can be accessed within a 10 to 15-minute drive. At the time of the market study, no significant infrastructure development was in progress within the vicinity of the site/subject.

2. Appropriateness of Project Parameters

- Overall, the subject will be competitive to very competitive with all of the existing program assisted and market rate apartment properties in the market regarding the unit and the development amenity package.
- In the area of unit size, by bedroom type, the subject will offer a competitive unit size, based on the most currently available set of floor plans.
- The subject will be competitive to very competitive with all of the existing program assisted and market rate apartment properties in the market regarding proposed net rents by bedroom type.
- The proposed subject 2BR/1b net rent at 50% and 60% AMI is approximately 14% less than the comparable/competitive

2BR/1b net rents at Market. The proposed subject 3BR/2b net rent at 50% and 60% AMI is approximately 15% less than the comparable/competitive 3BR/2b net rents at Market.

- The proposed subject 2BR/1b net rent at Market is approximately 4% less than the comparable/competitive 2BR/1b net rents at Market. The proposed subject 3BR/2b net rent at Market is approximately 5% less than the comparable/competitive 3BR/2b net rents at Market.
- The subject bedroom mix is considered to be appropriate. At present, the market is in need of larger bedroom sizes, as stated by most of the interviewed existing LIHTC apartment managers located within and adjacent to the PMA.

3. Market Demand:

• The capture rates by income segment and bedroom mix are considered to be positive indicators of demand support for the proposed 50-unit subject family development, given the GA-DCA capture rate threshold parameters. The overall project capture rate is 2.6% for the LIHTC component of the proposed development. The overall project capture rate is 0.9% for the Market Rate component of the proposed subject development. The overall project capture rate is 2.1%.

	Capture Rates by Bedroom Type & Income Targeting						
Unit Size	Income Limits	Units Proposed	Net Demand	Capture Rate	Absorp- tion	Avg Mkt Net Rent	Proposed Net Rent
2BR/1b	50% AMI	12	593	2.0%	2 mos.	\$800	\$690
	60% AMI	25	501	5.0%	6 mos.	\$800	\$690
	Market	3	178	1.7%	1 mo.	\$800	\$769
2BR/1b	Total	40	1,272	3.1%	6 mos.		
3BR/2b	50% AMI	3	320	0.9%	1 mo.	\$940	\$801
	60% AMI	5	284	1.8%	2 mos.	\$940	\$801
	Market	2	104	1.9%	1 mo.	\$940	\$894
3BR/2b	Total	10	708	1.4%	2 mos.		

- Nine LIHTC family properties, representing 1,498-units, were surveyed within the PMA. At the time of the survey, one of the LIHTC family properties was in the process of rehab and another was in the process of new construction development. At the time of the survey, the overall estimated vacancy rate of the surveyed program assisted LIHTC family properties was approximately 3%.
- Twenty market rate properties, representing 5,341 units, were surveyed within or adjacent to the PMA. At the time of the survey, the overall estimated vacancy rate of the surveyed market rate properties was approximately 4.5%.
- Present indicators point to the fact that the introduction of the proposed 50-unit development will have little to no long
 term negative impact on the like-kind program assisted LIHTC family apartment market within the PMA.
- The most likely/best case scenario for 93% to 100% rent-up is estimated to be 6 months (at 8-units per month on average) or less.
- It is forecasted that a stabilized occupancy level of 93%+ can be achieved within a 6 month (or less) period for the proposed subject property.

4. Recommendation & Conclusion:

 Based upon the analysis and the conclusions of each of the report sections, it is recommended that the proposed application proceed forward based on market findings, as presently configured.

MARKET STUDY FOLLOWS

SECTION B

PROPOSED PROJECT DESCRIPTION

he proposed Low Income Housing Tax Credit (LIHTC) / Market Rate multi-family development will target the general population in the southern portion of DeKalb County between I-285 and Lithonia, Georgia. The subject property is located at 2582 and 7063 Kelly Street, within the Lithonia city limits.

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The proposed new construction development project design comprises 3 two-story and three-story residential buildings. The development design provides for 75-parking spaces. Note: At present, the site comprises a 24-unit apartment property owned by the Housing Authority of Lithonia. The applicant plans to demolish this property and replace it with the Villages at Park View.

The proposed Occupancy Type is for the **General Population** and is not age restricted.

Project Rents:

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Amenity Package

The proposed development will include the following amenity package:

Unit Amenities

refrigeratordish washercable readywasher/dryer hook-upswindow coverings - range - disposal - central air - smoke alarms

- carpet

- microwave

Development Amenities

laundry facilitycommunity room

The estimated projected first full year that the Villages at Park View will be placed in service is 2010.

SECTION C

SITE & NEIGHBORHOOD EVALUATION

he site of the proposed LIHTC/Market Rate new construction apartment development is located at 2852 and 7063 Kelly Street, approximately ½ mile north of the downtown area of Lithonia and 1.5 miles north of I-20. Specifically, the site is

located in Census Tract 233.03, Census Block Group 4, Census Block 4028, and Zip Code 30058. See Site Map, page 9.

 $\underline{\text{Note}}$: The site is not located within a Qualified Census Tract (QCT).

Street and highway accessibility are very good relative to the site. Ready access is available from the site to the following: major retail trade and service areas, employment opportunities, local health care providers and area churches. All major facilities in the PMA can be accessed within a 10 to 15-minute drive. At the time of the market study, no significant infrastructure development was in progress within the vicinity of the site.

Site Characteristics

The site comprises two distinct tracts comprising .4 acres. The two tracts are separated by a small vacant lot in an overall residential setting. At present, the smaller of the two tracts is occupied by an 8-plex apartment building and the larger of the two tracts is occupied by two, 8-plex apartment buildings. All three buildings are owned and managed by the Housing Authority of Lithonia. Note: The applicant intends to demolish the three PHA buildings and replace them with 50-units of new construction LIHTC development.

The site is not located within a flood plain and appears to drain well. However, this assessment is subject to both environmental and engineering studies. All public utility services are available to the tract and excess capacity exists. The esurrounding land uses around the site are detailed below:

Direction	Existing Land Use		
North	Bruce Street Park		
East	Vacant		
South	Residential		
West	Residential		

Neighborhood Description / Characteristics

The overall character of the neighborhood in the immediate vicinity of the site can be defined as a mixture of land use including: nearby single-family and multi-family residential, nearby institutional use, and vacant use.

Directly north of the tracts is the Bruce Street Park, followed by the East Precinct Government Complex.

Directly south of the tracts is a mixture of single-family homes and public housing authority properties.

Directly west of the tracts is a mixture of single-family homes and public housing authority properties.

Directly east of the larger of the two tracts is vacant land.

The pictures on the following pages are of the site and surrounding land uses within the immediate vicinity of the site.



(1) - PHA 8-plex on smaller of two tracts, near intersection of Kelly and Bruce Streets.



(2) - PHA 8-plex on larger of two tracts, at the end of Kelly Street.





(4) - Vacant lot separating two subject tracts.





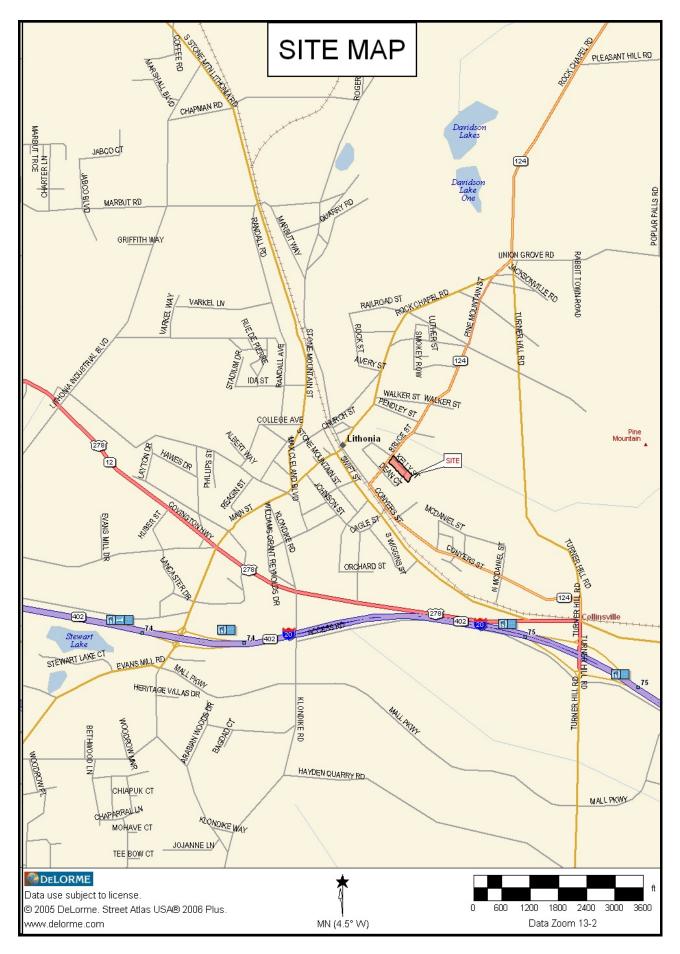
(6) - Typical single-family home in the vicinity of the tracts.



(7) - Bruce Street Park, site directly north (to the right).



(8) - PHA properties, off Bruce Street, in the vicinity of the tracts.



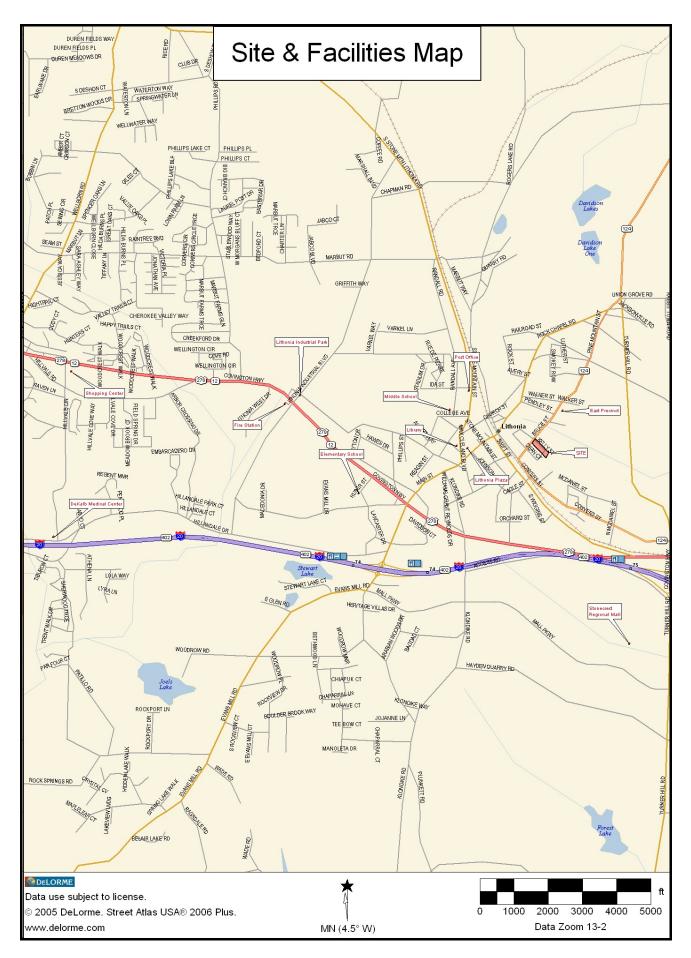
Access to Services

The subject is accessible to major employers, shopping, healthcare services, retail and social services, recreational areas, and the local and regional highway system. (See Site and Facilities Map, next page.)

Distances from the site to community services are exhibited below:

Points of Interest	Distance from Subject
East Precinct Government Complex	.1
Bruce Street Park	.1
Lithonia Plaza (Grocery Store)	.5
Post Office	.8
Library	.9
Middle School	1.0
Access to US 278	1.0
Elementary School	1.3
Access to I-20	1.4
Fire Station	1.7
Lithonia Industrial Park	2.0
Stonecrest Regional Mall	2.3
DeKalb Medical Center	3.3
Snapfinger Industrial Park	4.5
Walmart Supercenter	4.5
Access to I-285	9.0
Downtown Atlanta CBD	19.0

Note: Distance from subject is in tenths of miles and are approximated.

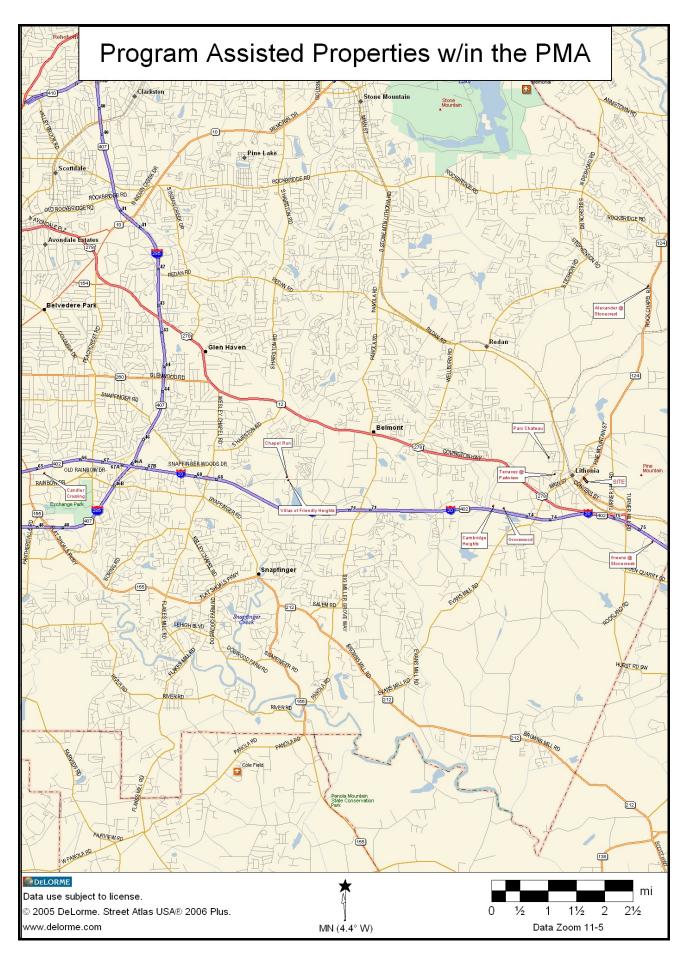


Program Assisted Apartments in the PMA

At present there are at least 8 existing LIHTC family apartment complexes and one HUD Section 236 complex located within the PMA. A map (on the next page) exhibits the competitive program assisted family properties within the PMA in relation to the site.

Project Name	Street Address Program Type		Number of Units	Distance from Site
Alexander @ Stonecrest	Leslie Oaks	LIHTC/MR nc	262	2.9
Cambridge Heights aka Hillandale Park	6136 Hillandale Dr	LIHTC ar	132	2.9
Candlers Crossing	300 Ember Dr	LIHTC ar	276	10.5
Chapel Run	Snapfinger Woods Rd	LIHTC nc	172	6.7
Greens @ Stonecreek	100 Deercreek Crossing	LIHTC/MR Bond nc	138	3.0
Grovewood Park	Hillandale Dr	LIHTC nc	120	3.0
Parc Chateau	2361 Parc Chateau Dr	HUD 236 nc	177	1.0
Terraces @ Parkview	2526 Park Dr	LIHTC nc	8 9	1.0
Villas @ Friendly Heights	1300 Friendly Heights Blvd	LIHTC/MR nc	132	6.5

*a/r - acquisition/rehab nc - new construction Distance in tenths of miles



SUMMARY

The field visits for the site and surrounding market area were between May 17 and 20, 2008. The site inspector was Mr. Jerry M. Koontz.

The overall character of the neighborhood within the immediate vicinity of the site can be defined as a mixture of land use including: single-family and multi-family residential, nearby institutional use, and vacant land use. The site is located in the eastern portion of Lithonia, within the city limits.

At present, the site comprises two tracts occupied by three 8-plexes, managed by the Housing Authority of Lithonia. The 8-plexes were built in the early 1970's.

Access to the tracts is available off Kelly Street. Kelly Street is a very short residential connector which connects the site/tracts with Bruce Street to the west. Both Kelly and Bruce Streets are very low density roads with a speed limit of 25 miles per hour. Also, the location of the site/tracts off Kelly Street does not present problems of egress and ingress to the site/tracts.

The site offers good accessibility and linkages to area services and facilities. The areas surrounding the site appeared to be void of most negative externalities (including noxious odors, close proximity to power lines, close proximity to rail lines and junk yards).

A portion of the site in relation to the subject and the surrounding roads is not very agreeable to signage, in particular, the larger of the two tracts. The smaller of the two tracts is very agreeable to signage, in particular to passing traffic along Bruce Street.

Overall, the field research revealed the following strengths and weaknesses of the subject in relation to subject marketability. In the opinion of the analyst, the site of the subject is considered appropriate as a multi-family development.

SITE/SUBJECT ATTRIBUTES:				
STRENGTHS	WEAKNESSES			
Good accessibility to services, trade, and area schools				
Good linkages to area road system				
Nearby road speed and noise is acceptable				
Surrounding land uses are acceptable				

SECTION D

MARKET AREA DESCRIPTION

he definition of a market area for any real estate use is generally limited to the geographic area from which consumers will consider the available alternatives to be relatively equal. This process implicitly and explicitly

considers the location and proximity and scale of competitive options. Frequently, both a primary and a secondary area are geographically defined. This is an area where consumers will have the greatest propensity to choose a specific product at a specific location, and a secondary area from which consumers are less likely to choose the product but the area will still generate significant demand.

The field research process was used in order to establish the geographic delineation of the Primary Market Area (PMA). The process included the recording of spatial activities and time-distance boundary analysis. These were used to determine the relationship of the location of the site and specific subject property to other potential alternative geographic choices. The field research process was then reconciled with demographic data by geography as well as local interviews with key respondents regarding market specific input relating to market area delineation.

<u>Primary Market Area</u>

Based upon field research in Lithonia, the southern and southeastern portions of DeKalb County and a 5 to 10 mile area, along with an assessment of relevant items including: the competitive environment, transportation and employment patterns, the site location and physical, natural and political barriers, the Primary Market Area (PMA) for the proposed multi-family development consists of the following Census Tracts:

232.03, 233.02, 233.03, 233.06, 233.07, 233.09, 233.10, 234.12, 234.13, 234.14, 234.15, 234.16, 234.17, 234.18, and 235.07.

(See Primary Market Area Map)

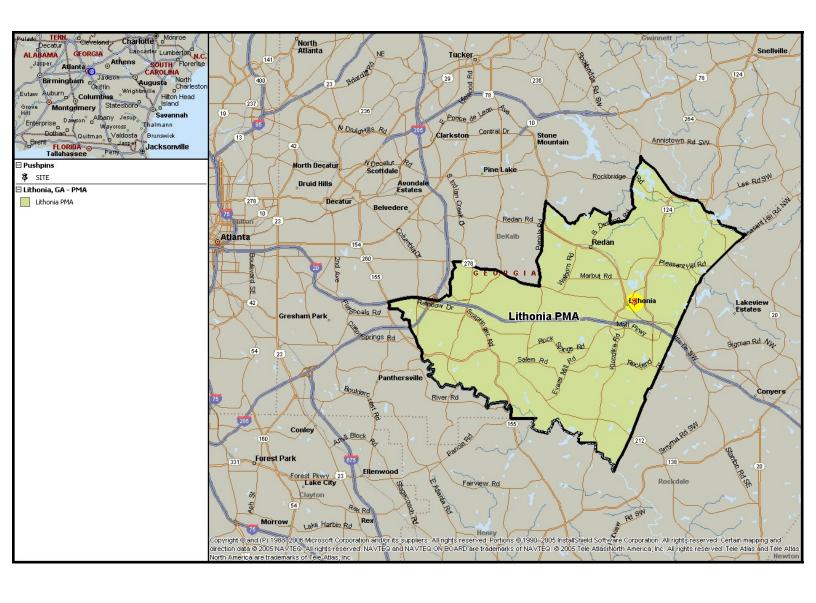
The PMA is bounded as follows:

North	Central area of DeKalb County & and Gwinnett County
East	Rockdale County
South	Panthersville area of DeKalb County & Henry County
West	I-285 and southwest portion of DeKalb County

Transportation access to the PMA and within the PMA is excellent. I-20 and US 278 are the major east/west connectors. I-285, Panola Road and the Turner Hill Road (SR 124) are the major north/south connectors. Access to I-20 is about 1 mile south of the site and access to Turner Hill Road is about $\frac{1}{2}$ mile to the west. I-285 is about 9 miles east.

Secondary Market Area

The Secondary Market Area (SMA) consists of that area beyond the Primary Market Area. Demand for the development from the SMA is considered to be good to very good. Typically, 5% to 25% of program assisted apartment complexes are occupied by tenants from outside the PMA. It is estimated that the subject will attract 15% to 25% of its tenant base from outside the PMA. Note: The demand methodology in this market study utilized a predetermined GA-DCA market study guideline factor of 15%.



SECTION E

COMMUNITY DEMOGRAPHIC DATA

ables 1 through 7 exhibit indicators of trends in total population and household growth, for the Villages at Park View PMA.

Population Trends

Table 1, exhibits the change in <u>total</u> population in the Villages at Park View PMA and DeKalb County between 1990 and 2011. The year 2010 is estimated to be the first year of availability for occupancy of the subject property. The year 2000 has been established as the base year for the purpose of estimating new household growth demand, by age and tenure in accordance with the 2008 GA-DCA Market Study Guidelines.

The PMA exhibited a very significant increase in population during the 1990's, at around 4% or 3,150 per year. Population gains over the next several years are forecasted for the PMA at a continuing significant rate of increase, represented by a rate of growth ranging between 2% to 3% per year.

A slight minority of the population in the PMA is located within the City of Lithonia. It is estimated that approximately 2% of the PMA population is located within the City of Lithonia.

DeKalb County exhibited significant total population gains during the 1990's, at over 2% per year. Population gains over the next several years are forecasted for the County at a positive yet reduced rate of gain.

Population Projection Methodology:

The forecasted total population was interpolated (between 2006 and 2011) for a 2010 estimate.

The Claritas data was used in the forecast of total population, within the PMA and county. In addition, the Georgia Office of Planning & Budget 2015 forecast and the ESRI projections were used as a cross check to the Claritas forecasts, but not in lieu of the other forecasts. Note: The forecasts for the City of Lithonia are subject to local annexation policy and were not estimated beyond the 2006 census estimate.

 $\underline{\text{Sources}}$: (1) 1990 and 2000 US Census, and 2001 - 2006 US Census estimates.

- (2) Georgia 2010-2015 Residential Population Project of Georgia Counties, Source: Georgia Governor's Office of Planning and Budget (as of December, 2004).
- (3) $\overline{\text{ESRI}}$ 2005/2006 and 2010/2011 Projections, 17th & 18th Editions.
- (4) Claritas 2006 and 2011 HISTA Projections, Ribbon Demographics.

Table 1 Total Population Trends and Projections: Lithonia, Villages @ Park View PMA and DeKalb County Lithonia Total Annual Year Population Change Percent Change Percent _____ _____ _____ 1990 2,448 2000 2,187 261 - 10.66 26 - 1.07 + 6.77 2,335 25 2006 148 + 1.13 Villages @ Park View PMA 1990 77,829 _____ _____ _____ 2000 109,307 +31,644 + 40.45 + 3,148 + 4.04 2007 134,490 + 23.04 + 3.29 +25,183 + 3,598 2010* 144,600 + 7.52 + 2.51 +10,110 + 3,370 2011 147,970 + 3,370 + 2.33 + 3,370 + 2.33 DeKalb County _____ ----_____ 1990 545,837 ----2000 665,865 +120,028 + 21.99 +12,003 + 2.20 2007 + 2.34 681,472 + 15,607 + 2,230 + 0.33 2010* 689,152 + 1.13 + 0.38 + 7,680 + 2,560 691,712 + 0.37 + 0.37 2011 + 2,560 + 2,560

<u>Calculations</u> - Koontz and Salinger. May, 2008.

^{* 2010 -} Estimated year that project is placed in service.

Table 2 exhibits the change in population by age group in the Villages at Park View PMA between 2000 and 2011.

	Table 2							
Po	Population by Age Groups: Villages @ Park View PMA, 2000 - 2011							
	2000 Number	2000 Percent	2011 Number	2011 Percent	Change Number	Change Percent		
Age Group								
0 - 4	8,843	8.09	10,554	7.13	+1,711	+19.35		
5 - 17	25,239	23.09	29,019	19.61	+3,780	+14.98		
		,						
18 - 24	9,639	8.82	14,632	9.89	+4,993	+51.80		
25 - 44	38,914	35.60	41,673	28.16	+2,759	+ 7.09		
45 - 54	15,252	13.95	24,334	16.45	+9,082	+59.55		
55 - 64	6,224	5.69	16,967	11.47	+10,743	+172.61		
65 +	5 , 196	4.75	10,791	7.29	+5,595	+107.68		

Sources: 2000 Census of Population, Georgia.

Claritas 2011 HISTA Projections, Ribbon Demographics.

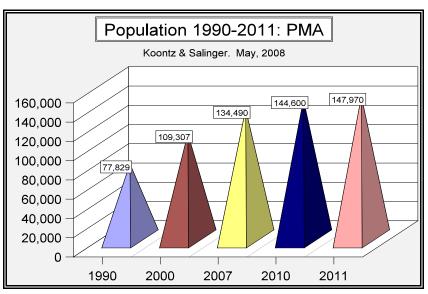
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Table 2 revealed that population is forecasted to increase in all of the displayed age groups in the PMA between 2000 and 2011. The increase is forecasted to be significant in the primary renter age group: of 18 to 44, at around 15%. Overall, a significant portion of the total PMA population is in the target property primary renter group of 18 to 44, representing around 38% of the total population.

Between 2000 and 2011 total population is projected to increase

the PMAat of significant rate gain at approximately per year. The majority οf the increase has been in western and southern portions of the PMA.

The figure to the right presents a graphic display of the numeric change in population in the PMA between 1990 and 2011.



HOUSEHOLD TRENDS & CHARACTERISTICS

Tables 3 exhibits the change in total households in the Villages at Park View PMA between 2000 and 2011. The significant to very significant increase in household formations in the PMA has continued over a 10 year period and is reflective of the continuing annualized net gain in population.

The increase in the rate of persons per household has continued over the last 10 years and is projected to continue at a reduced rate of increase between 2000 and 2011 in the PMA. The rate of change in based upon: (1) the increased number of retirement age population owing to an increase in the longevity of the aging process for the senior population, and (2) allowing for adjustments owing to divorce and the dynamics of roommate scenarios.

The forecast for group quarters is based on trends in the last two censuses. In addition, it includes information collected from local sources as to conditions and changes in group quarters' supply since the 2000 census.

	Table 3						
	Household Formations: 2000 to 2011 Villages @ Park View PMA						
Year / Place	Total Population	Population In Group Quarters	Population In Households	Persons Per Household ¹	Total Households ²		
2000	109,307	336	108,971	2.9444	37,009		
2007	134,490	430	134,060	2.9692	45,150		
2010	144,600	450	144,150	2.9799	48,374		
2011	147,970	465	147,505	2.9830	49,448		

Sources: Claritas, 2006 and 2011 Projections.
2000 Census of Population, Georgia.

 $\frac{\texttt{Calculations}\text{: Data was interpolated between 2006 and 2011 and estimated for 2010.}{\texttt{Koontz \& Salinger. May, 2008.}}$

¹Continuation of the 1990 to 2000 persons per household rate of change.

²Population in Households divided by persons per unit count.

Table 4

Households by Tenure, by Person Per Household

Villages @ Park View PMA, 2000 - 2011

Households		C	wner		Renter			
	2000	2011	Change	% 2011	2000	2011	Change	% 2011
1 Person	4,857	6,845	+1,988	17.80%	1,827	2,740	+ 913	24.92%
2 Person	7,995	10,797	+2,802	28.08%	2,061	2,574	+ 513	23.41%
3 Person	6,327	8,616	+2,289	22.41%	1,665	2,027	+ 362	18.43%
4 Person	5,311	6,658	+1,347	17.32%	1,496	1,932	+ 436	17.57%
5+Person	4,211	5,536	+1,325	14.40%	1,259	1,723	+ 464	15.67%
Total	28,701	38,452	+9,751	100%	8,308	10,996	+2,688	100%

Sources: 2000 Census of Population, Georgia.

Claritas 2011 HISTA Projections, Ribbon Demographics.

Koontz and Salinger. May, 2008.

Table 4 indicates that in 2011 approximately 75% of the renter-occupied households in the Villages at Park View PMA contain 2 to 6 persons (the target group by household size).

The majority of these households are:

- couples, roommates,
- single head of households with children, and
- families with children.

A significant increase in renter households by size was exhibited by 1 person households. Noticeable increase in renter households by size were also exhibited by 2, 3 and 4 persons per household. One person households are typically attracted to both 1 and 2 bedroom rental units and 2 and 3 person households are typically attracted to 2 bedroom units, and to a lesser degree three bedroom units. It is estimated that between 35% and 40% of the renter households in the PMA fit the bedroom profile for a 3BR unit. Given the proposed income targeting, rent positioning of the subject and 2000 and 2011 trends, the appropriate estimate is considered to be 35% versus 40%.

Table 5 exhibits households in the Villages at Park View PMA by owner-occupied and renter-occupied tenure. The 2000 to 2011 projected trend supports a change in the tenure ratio slightly favoring owner-occupied households on a percentage basis.

Overall, a significant net numerical gain is forecasted for owner-occupied tenure and a moderate to significant increase is forecasted in renter-occupied households within the PMA.

Table 5 Households by Tenure: 2000-2011 Villages @ Park View PMA							
Year/ Place	Total Households	Owner Occupied	Percent	Renter Occupied	Percent		
PMA							
2000	37,009	28,701	77.55	8,308	22.45		
2007	45,150	35,088	77.71	10,062	22.29		
2010	48,374	37,611	77.75	10,763	22.25		
2011	49,448	38,452	77.76	10,996	22.24		

Sources: 2000 Census of Population, Georgia.

Claritas 2011 HISTA Projections, Ribbon Demographics.

Koontz and Salinger. May, 2008.

Table 6 exhibits building permit data between 2000 and March, 2008. The permit data is for Unincorporated DeKalb County.

Between 2000 and March, 2008, 47,016 permits were issued in Unincorporated DeKalb County, of which, 18,274 or approximately 39% were multi-family units, both owner-occupied and renter-occupied.

Table 6 New Housing Units Permitted: Unincorporated DeKalb County							
			·2008¹				
Year	Net Total ²	1 Unit	2 Units	3-4 Units	5+ Units		
2000	5,947	4,198			1,749		
2001	7,268	4,595			2,673		
2002	7,200	4,097		4	3,099		
2003	4,796	3,884			912		
2004	6,392	3 , 676			2,716		
2005	5,898	3,296		10	2,592		
2006	4,176	2,765			1,411		
2007	4,633	1,912			2,721		
2008	706	319			387		
Total	47,016	28,742		14	18,260		

 $^{^{1}}$ Sources: New Privately Owned Housing Units Authorized In Permit Issuing Places, $^{2000-2008}$, U.S. Department of Commerce, C-40 Construction Reports. U.S. Census Bureau.

 $^{^{2}\}mathrm{Net}$ total equals new SF and MF dwellings units.

HOUSEHOLD INCOME TRENDS & CHARACTERISTICS

One of the first discriminating factors in residential analysis is income eligibility and affordability. This is particularly of importance when analyzing the need and demand for program assisted multi-family housing.

A professional market study must distinguish between gross demand and effective demand. Effective demand is represented by those households that can both qualify for and afford to rent the proposed multi-family development. In order to quantify this effective demand, the income distribution of the PMA households must be analyzed.

Establishing the income factors to identify which households are eligible for a specific housing product requires the definition of the limits of the target income range. The lower limit of the eligible range is generally determined by affordability, i.e., the proposed gross rents and/or the availability of deep subsidy rental assistance (RA) for USDA-RD developments.

The estimate of the upper income limit is based on the most recent set of HUD Median Income Guidelines for five person households (the maximum household size for a 3BR unit, for the purpose of establishing income limits) in the Atlanta Metropolitan Area (which includes DeKalb County, Georgia) at 50% and 60% of the area median income (AMI).

For market-rate projects or components of mixed income projects, the entire range is estimated using typical expenditure patterns. While a household may spend as little for rent as required to occupy an acceptable unit, households tend to move into more expensive housing with better features as their incomes increase. In this analysis, the market-rate limits are set at an expenditure pattern of 25% to 45% of household income.

Tables 7A and 7B exhibit renter households, by income group, in the Villages at Park View PMA in 2000 and 2006, forecasted to 2011.

The projection methodology is based on Claritas forecasts for households, by tenure, by age and by income group for the year 2006 and 2011, with a base year data set of 2000 (US Census). A 2010 estimate was interpolated based on the trend between the 2006 and 2011 data sets and utilized within the quantitative demand methodology.

<u>Note</u>: The data set used in Tables 7A and 7B is from Claritas and Ribbon Demographics.

Tables 7A and 7B exhibit renter-occupied households, by income in the Villages at Park View PMA in 2000, estimated to 2006, and projected to 2011.

Table 7A						
Villages @ Park View	PMA: Renter-Oc	cupied Househ	olds, by Incom	e Groups		
Households by Income	2000 Number	2000 Percent	2006 Number	2006 Percent		
Under \$10,000	748	9.00	838	8.53		
10,000 - 20,000	1,199	14.43	1,256	12.78		
20,000 - 30,000	1,434	17.26	1,493	15.19		
30,000 - 40,000	1,507	18.14	1,615	16.43		
40,000 - 50,000	1,119	13.47	1,339	13.62		
50,000 - 60,000	897	10.80	1,082	11.01		
60,000 +	1,404	16.90	2,206	22.44		
Total	8,308	100%	9,829	100%		

Table 7B							
Villages @ Park View PMA: Renter-Occupied Households, by Income Groups							
Households by Income	2006 Number	2006 Percent	2011 Number	2011 Percent			
Under \$10,000	838	8.53	888	8.08			
10,000 - 20,000	1,256	12.78	1,225	11.14			
20,000 - 30,000	1,493	15.19	1,495	13.60			
30,000 - 40,000	1,615	16.43	1,658	15.08			
40,000 - 50,000	1,339	13.62	1,499	13.63			
50,000 - 60,000	1,082	11.01	1,191	10.83			
60,000 +	2,206	22.44	3,040	27.65			
Total	9,829	100%	10,996	100%			

Sources: 2000 Census of Population, Georgia.
Claritas, HISTA Data, Ribbon Demographics.
Koontz and Salinger. May, 2008.

Income Threshold Parameters

This market study focused upon the following target population regarding income parameters:

- (1) Occupied by households at 60 percent or below of area median income.
- (2) Projects must meet the person per unit imputed income requirements of the Low Income Housing Tax Credit, as amended in 1990. Thus, for purposes of estimating rents, developers should assume no more than the following: (a) For efficiencies and one bedrooms, 1 person; (b) For units with one or more separate bedrooms, 1.5 persons for each separate bedroom. (Note that estimated rents must be net of utility allowances.)
- (3) The proposed development be available to Section 8 youcher holders.
- (4) The 2008 HUD Income Guidelines were used.
- (5) 10% of the units will be set aside as market rate with no income restrictions.

<u>Analyst Note</u>: The subject will comprise 50 two and three bedroom units The recommended maximum number of people per unit is:

2BR - 2, 3 and 4 persons 3BR - 3, 4, 5 and 6 persons

<u>Analyst Note</u>: As long as the unit in demand is income qualified there is no minimum number of people per unit.

The proposed development will target approximately 30% of the units at 50% or below of area median income (AMI); 60% of the units at 60% AMI and 10% at Market.

The lower portion of the target income range is set by the proposed subject 2BR and 3BR rents at 50% and 60% AMI and at Market.

It is estimated that households at the subject will spend between 30% and 45% of income for gross housing expenses, including utilities and maintenance. Recent Consumer Expenditure Surveys (including the most recent) indicate that the average cost paid by renter households is around 36% of gross income. Given the subject property's intended target group it is estimated that the target LIHTC income group will spend between 25% and 50% of income to rent. GA-DCA has set the estimate for non elderly applications at 35%.

The proposed 2BR net rent at both 50% and 60% AMI is \$690. The estimated utility costs is \$102. The proposed 2BR gross rent at 50% and 60% AMI is \$792.

The proposed 3BR net rent at 50% and 60% AMI is \$801. The estimated utility costs is \$118. The proposed 3BR gross rent at 50% and 60% AMI is \$919.

The proposed 2BR net rent at Market is \$769. The estimated utility costs is \$102. The proposed 2BR gross rent at Market is \$871. The proposed 3BR net rent at Market is \$894. The estimated utility costs is \$118. The proposed 3BR gross rent at Market is \$1,012.

Based on the proposed gross rents the lower income limits at 50% and 60% AMI was established at \$27,150. Based on the proposed gross rent the lower income limits at Market is established at \$40,000.

The AMI at 50% and 60% for 1 to 5 person households in the Atlanta MSA (which includes DeKalb County) follows:

	50% AM I	60% <u>AMI</u>
1 Person -		\$29,880
2 Person -	\$28 <i>,</i> 500	\$34,200
3 Person -	\$32,050	\$38,460
4 Person -	\$35 <i>,</i> 600	\$42,720
5 Person -	\$38,450	\$46,140

Source: 2008 HUD Median Income Guidelines.

Target Income Range - Subject Property - by Income Targeting Scenario

50% AMI

The subject will position 15-units at 50% of AMI.

The overall **Target Income Range** for the proposed subject property targeting households at 50% AMI is \$27,155 to \$38,450.

It is projected that in 2010 approximately 17% of the renter households in the PMA were in the subject property 50% AMI LIHTC target income group.

60% **AMI**

_____The subject will position 30-units at 60% of AMI.

The overall **Target Income Range** for the proposed subject property targeting households at 60% AMI is \$27,150 to \$46,140.

It is projected that in 2010 approximately 27.5% of the renter households in the PMA were in the subject property 60% AMI LIHTC target income group.

Market Rate

The subject will position 5-units at Market.

The overall **Target Income Range** for the proposed subject property targeting households at Market Rate is \$40,000 to \$60,000.

It is projected that in 2010 approximately $\bf 24.5\%$ of the renter households in the PMA were in the subject property Market Rate target income group.

<u>Adjustments</u>

In order to adjust for income over lap between the targeted income segments the following adjustments were made: (1) the 60% income segment estimate was reduced slightly in order to account for overlap with the 50% AMI income target group, but only slightly given fact that only 15-units will target renters at 50% AMI and the proposed net rents are the same as those set at 60% AMI; and (2) the Market Rate income segment estimate of 24.5% was reduced in order to account for income over lap at 60% AMI.

It is estimated that approximately 10% of the overall income qualified range will target households at the 50% AMI segment; 17.5% will target households at the 60% AMI segment and 20% in the Market Rate income segment.

ECONOMIC & EMPLOYMENT TRENDS

he economic trends reflect the ability of the area to create and sustain growth, and job formation is typically the primary motivation for positive net inmigration.

Tables 8 through 13 exhibit labor force trends by employment,

changes in employment sectors and changes in average annual weekly wages for DeKalb County. Also, exhibited are the major employers for the immediate labor market area. A summary analysis is provided at the end of this section.

Table 8						
Civilian Labor Force and Employment Trends, DeKalb County: 2000, 2006 and 2007						
	2000	2006	2007			
Civilian Labor Force	382,690	387,999	396,858			
Employment	370,271	368,677	378,698			
Unemployment	12,419	19,322	18,160			
Rate of Unemployment	3.2%	5.0%	4.6%			

Table 9							
Change in Employment, DeKalb County							
Years	# Total	# Annual*	% Total	% Annual*			
2000 - 2006	- 1,594	- 228	- 0.43	- 0.06			
2006 - 2007	+10,021	Na	+ 2.72	Na			

^{*} Rounded

Na - Not applicable

<u>Sources</u>: Georgia Labor Force Estimates, 2000 - 2007. Georgia Department of Labor, Workforce Information Analysis.

Koontz and Salinger. May, 2008.

Employment Trends

Table 10

Employment Change and Rates of Unemployment, DeKalb County

Vec	Number	Change Over	1 1
Year 	Employed	Previous Year	Rate
2000	370,271		3.2
2001	365,011	- 5 , 260	4.0
2002	354,822	- 10,189	5.5
2003	350,110	- 4,712	5.5
2004	345,008	- 5,102	5.4
2005	349,162	+ 4,154	5.9
2006	368,677	+ 19,515	5.0
2007	378,698	+ 10,021	4.6
2008 (01)	380,381		5.3
2008 (02)	379,222	- 1 , 159	5.3
2008 (03)	382,540	+ 3,318	5.3

Table 11								
	Average Monthly Covered Employment by Sector, DeKalb County, 2005 and 2006							
Year	Total	Con	Mfg	Т	FIRE	HCSS	G	
2005	290746	11,870	18,915	50,117	17,038	32,487	45,466	
2006	279351	11,086	16,947	47,017	15,482	32,036	45,703	
05-06 # Ch.	-11395	-784	-1,968	-3,100	-1,556	- 451	+ 237	
05-06 % Ch.	-3.9	- 6.6	- 10.4	- 6.2	- 9.1	- 1.4	+ 0.5	

% Ch. 2005 to 2006 = % Increase/Decrease

<u>Note</u>: Con - Construction; Mfg - Manufacturing; T - Retail and Wholesale Trade; FIRE - Finance, Insurance and Real Estate; HCSS - Health Care and Social Services; G - Federal, State & Local Government

<u>Sources</u>: Georgia Labor Force Estimates, 2000 - 2008. Georgia Department of Labor, Workforce Information Analysis.

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Table 12, exhibits average annual weekly wages in 2005 and 2006 in the major employment sectors in DeKalb County. The rate of change in wages has for the most part matched or exceeded the recent rate of inflation, as measured by the consumer price index (CPI) for about half of the employment sectors and has decreased or stabilized for about one-third. It is estimated that the majority of workers in the service and trade sectors in 2008 will have average weekly wages between \$425 and \$950.

Table 12							
Average Annual Weekly Wages, 2005 and 2006 DeKalb County							
Employment Sector	2005	2006	% Numerical Change	Annual Rate of Change			
Total	\$ 842	\$ 877	+ 35	+ 4.2			
Construction	\$ 895	\$ 904	+ 9	+ 1.0			
Manufacturing	\$ 991	\$1075	+ 84	+ 8.5			
Wholesale Trade	\$1223	\$1267	+ 44	+ 3.6			
Retail Trade	\$ 511	\$ 505	- 6	- 1.2			
Transportation & Warehouse	\$ 751	\$ 803	+ 52	+ 6.9			
Finance	\$1188	\$1148	- 40	- 3.4			
Real Estate Leasing	\$ 806	\$ 856	+ 50	+ 6.2			
Health Care Services	\$ 761	\$ 767	+ 6	+ 0.8			
Leisure & Hospitality	\$ 296	\$ 308	+ 14	+ 4.1			
Federal Government	\$1390	\$1460	+ 70	+ 5.0			
State Government	\$ 641	\$ 657	+ 16	+ 2.5			
Local Government	\$ 777	\$ 795	+ 18	+ 2.3			

<u>Sources</u>: Georgia Department of Labor, Workforce Information Analysis, Covered Employment, Wages and Contributions, 2005 and 2006.

Koontz and Salinger. May, 2008.

Major Employers

The major employers in Metro Atlanta are listed in Table 13.

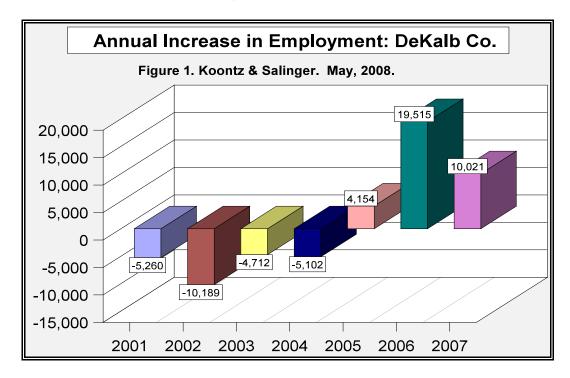
Table 13 Major Employers					
Gwinnett County	School System	27,197			
Emory University	Education	21,797			
Delta Air Lines	Transportation	19,235			
Publix	Grocery	16,855			
Kroger	Grocery	15,500			
Bell South	Telecommunications	15,500			
Walmart	Retail Trade	14,700			
DeKalb County	School System	14,500			
US Postal Service	Mail System	14,000			
Home Depot	Retail Trade	13,184			
Cobb County	School System	13,000			
Fulton County	School System	10,892			
UPS	Express Document Service	10,500			
Wellstar	Healthcare	10,112			
Atlanta City	Government	7,934			
SunTrust Banks	Finance	7,768			
Lockheed Martin	Defense Contractor	7,531			
IBM	Computer Services	7,500			
Northside Hospital	Healthcare	7,100			
Georgia Tech	University	7,075			
Clayton County	School System	6,826			
Atlanta Public	School System	6,702			
US Center for Disease Control	Disease Prevention	6,500			
Wachovia	Finance	6,000			
Turner Broadcasting	News & Entertainment	5,959			
Cox Enterprises	Publishing	5,606			
The Southern Company	Energy Company	5,490			

<u>Sources</u>: Metro Atlanta Chamber of Commerce, Research Department.

DeKalb County Office of Economic Development.

SUMMARY

The economic situation for DeKalb County is statistically represented by employment activity, both in workers and jobs. As represented in Tables 8-13, DeKalb County has experienced mostly significant employment gains from the mid part of the new decade onward. Employment losses were experienced between 2001 and 2004, primarily in the manufacturing sector of the local economy. Over the last two years, very significant net gains in employment levels have been the norm in DeKalb County.



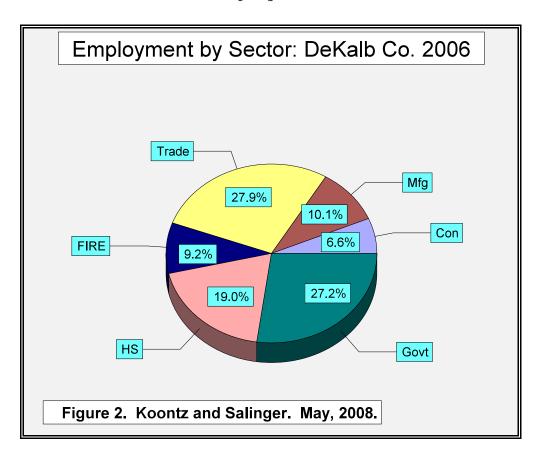
As represented in Figure 1 (and Table 9), between 2000 and 2006, the average decrease in employment was approximately 230 workers or around -0.1%, per year. The rate of employment gain between 2006 and 2007, was very significant at over 2.5%, representing a net increase of over 10,000 workers.

The Metro Atlanta/DeKalb County economy is extremely well diversified with an excellent mixture of service, trade, communications, government and manufacturing employment opportunities. The site is located within 15-miles of several major areas of employment opportunities including: (1) the Downtown Central Business District of Atlanta, (2) Georgia Regional Hospital, (3) Hartsfield-Jackson Airport, (4) South DeKalb & Stonecrest Malls, and (5) several area industrial and business parks.

Located within 15 miles of the subject is home to one of the largest airports in the world, physically, and the largest in the world in terms of air travel business, Hartsfield-Jackson Atlanta International Airport.

Hartsfield-Jackson Atlanta International Airport is responsible for approximately 56,000 airline, ground transportation, concessionaire, security, and local and federal government jobs. The total airport payroll is around \$2.4 billion, resulting in a direct and indirect economic impact of around \$5.6 billion on the local and regional economy.

Figure 2 exhibits employment by sector in DeKalb County in 2006. The top employment sectors in the County are: manufacturing, trade, government and service. The forecast for 2007 is for the manufacturing sector to either stabilize or decrease slightly. The forecast for the service (in particular healthcare services), trade and government sectors is for an increase in employment.



Local Economy - Relative to Subject & Impact on Housing Demand

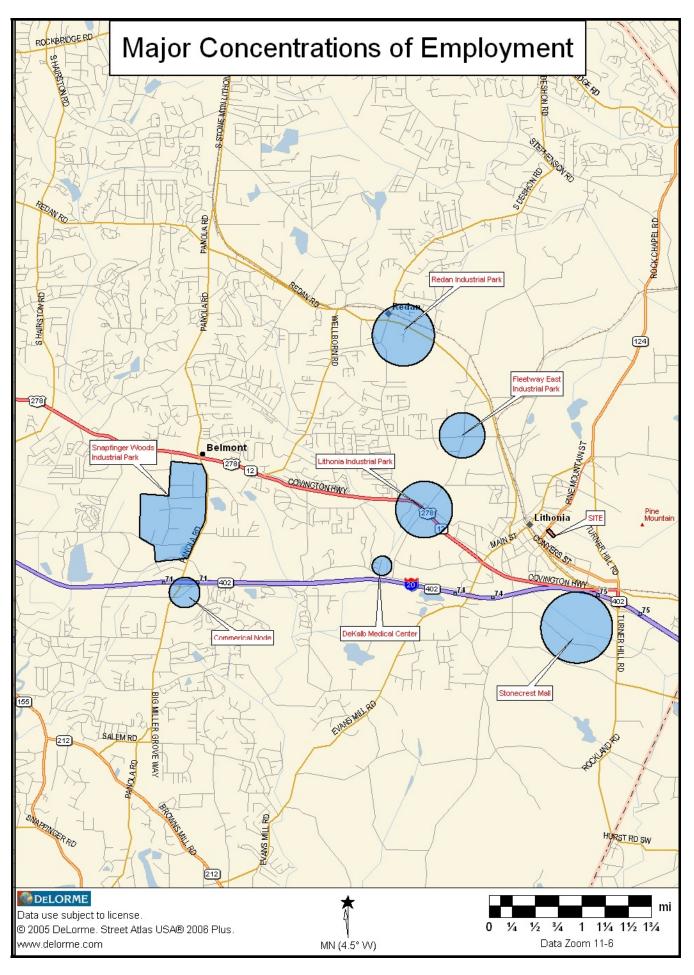
The Metro Atlanta / DeKalb County area economy has a large number of low to moderate wage workers employed in the service, trade, and manufacturing sectors. Given the excellent location of the site, with good proximity to several employment nodes, the proposed subject development will very likely attract potential renters from those sectors of the workforce who are in need of affordable housing and a reasonable commute to work. In particular, a reasonable commute to the Stonecrest Mall, the Lithonia Industrial Park, the Airport, the Georgia Regional Hospital complex as well as to the Downtown Central Business District of Atlanta.

In summary, the forecast of economic growth into 2008 is considered to be extremely positive. Employment growth for 2008 is expected to be positive but not as strong as exhibited in 2007, as the local area economy works out the negative impacts of: (1) Fort McPherson and Fort Gillem closing, (2) the Ford Motor plant closing (in 2007), (3) the upcoming closing of the GM plant (in 2008) and (4) the slow down in residential development owing to the present mortgage crisis.

However, there are enough positive signs at present signaling that the local economy will continue to grow at an overall positive rate into 2008. This in turn will assist in the strengthening of the overall demand for rentals by younger households and to give support for local landlords to increase rents on an annual basis as overall supply versus demand tightens. The increase in demand support will be strengthened as fewer home buying households will qualify for entry level homes and unfortunately there will be an increase in new tenants owing to an increase in local area foreclosures. An increase in net rents will be (or should be) commensurate to the increase in the CPI more so than to changes in area wage rates.

Recently the Georgia Economic Development Department forecasted that over the next 2-years Dekalb County is expected to generate 100,000 new jobs, of which the majority are expected to be generated via small business growth. In the opinion of the analyst, this forecast is considered to be overly aggressive. However, 25,000+ (net gain) new jobs created over the next two years is considered to be more in the realm of possibility.

A map of the major employment concentrations in the PMA is exhibited on the next page.



SECTION F

PROJECT-SPECIFIC DEMAND ANALYSIS

his analysis examines the area market demand in terms of a specified GA-DCA demand methodology. This incorporates several sources of income eligible demand, including demand from new renter household growth and demand from

existing renter households already residing within the PMA. In addition, given the amount of substandard and overcrowded housing conditions that still exists in the PMA market, the potential demand from substandard housing will be examined.

This methodology develops an effective market demand comprising eligible demand segments based on household characteristics and typical demand sources. It evaluates the required penetration of this effective demand pool. The section also includes estimates of reasonable absorption of the proposed units. The demand analysis is premised upon an estimated projected year that the subject will be placed in service of 2010.

In this section, the effective project size is 50-units. Throughout the demand forecast process, income qualification is based on the distribution estimates derived in Tables 7A and 7B from the previous section of the report.

Subsequent to the derivation of the annual demand estimate, the project is considered within the context of the current market conditions. This analysis assesses the size of the proposed project compared to the existing population, including factors of tenure and income qualification. This indicates the proportion of the occupied housing stock that the project would represent and gives an indication of the scale of the proposed complex in the market. This does not represent potential demand, but can provide indicators of the validity of the demand estimates and the expected capture rates.

The demand analysis will address the impact on demand from existing and proposed like-kind competitive supply. In this case discriminated by age and income.

Finally, the potential impact of the proposed project on the housing market supply is evaluated, particularly the impact on other like-kind assisted family apartment projects in the market area.

Effective Demand Pool

In this methodology, there are three basic sources of demand for an apartment project to acquire potential tenants:

- * net household formation (normal growth),
- * existing renters who are living in substandard housing, and
- * existing renters who choose to move to another unit, typically based on affordability (rent overburdened), project location and features.

As required by the most recent set of GA-DCA Market Study Guidelines, several adjustments are made to the basic model. The methodology adjustments are:

- (1) taking into consideration like-kind competitive units now in the "pipeline", and/or under construction within the 2008 to 2010 forecast period,
- (2) taking into consideration like-kind competition introduced into the market between 2000 and 2007, and
- (3) for secondary market area demand (a 15% adjustment factor).

Note: The secondary market area adjustment factor is pre determined and specified in the most current GA-DCA Market Study Guideline instructions.

Growth

For the PMA, forecast housing demand through household formation totals 11,365 households over the 2000 to 2010 forecast period. By definition, were this to be growth it would equal demand for new housing units. This demand would further be qualified by tenure and income range to determine how many would belong to the subject target income group. During the 2000 to 2010, forecast period it is calculated that 2,455 or approximately 22% of the new households formations would be renters.

Based on 2010 income forecasts, 2467 new renter households fall into the 50% AMI target income segment of the proposed subject property; 430 new renter households fall into the 60% AMI target income segment; and 491 in the Market Rate segment.

Demand from Existing Renters that are In Substandard Housing

The most current and reliable data from the US Census regarding substandard housing is the 2000 census. By definition, substandard housing in this market study is from Tables H21 and H48 in Summary File 3 of the 2000 census - Tenure by Age of Householder by Occupants Per Room and Tenure by Plumbing Facilities, respectively. In 2000, 39 households were living in renter-occupied dwelling units without complete plumbing facilities in the PMA and 415 households were living in renter-occupied dwellings in over crowded conditions. The total number of existing renters that were in substandard housing based on the 2000 Census was 454.

Based on a field analysis of the Villages at Park View PMA and immediate surrounding areas, the introduction of new LIHTC and Tax Exempt Bond developments within the PMA since 2000, along with an examination of the trends in substandard data between the 1990 and 2000 censuses, it is estimated that in 2010 there are 200 renter households in substandard housing conditions in the PMA.

Based on 2010 income forecasts, 20 substandard renter households fall into the target income segment of the proposed subject property at 50% AMI; 35 are in the 60% AMI segment; and 10 are in the Market Rate segment.

Demand from Existing Renters that are Rent Overburdened

An additional source of demand for rental units is derived from renter households desiring to move to improve their living conditions, to accommodate different space requirements, because of changes in financial circumstances or affordability. For this portion of the estimate, rent overburdened households are included in the demand analysis. Note: This segment of the demand analysis excluded the estimate of demand by substandard housing as defined in the previous segment of the demand analysis.

By definition, rent overburdened are those households paying greater than 30% to 35% of income to gross rent*. The most recent census based data for the percentage of households that are rent overburdened by income group is the 2000 census. Forecasting this percentage estimate forwarded into 2010 is extremely problematic and would not hold up to the rigors of statistical analysis. It is assumed that the percentage of rent overburdened households (in 2010) have remained the same since 2000. That is approximately 50% of the renters with incomes in the 50% AMI target income segment, 40% of the renters with income in the 60% AMI target income segments are rent overburdened and 5% of the renters with incomes in the Market Rate target income segment are rent overburdened.

*Note: HUD and the US Census define a rent over burdened household at 30% of income to rent.

In the PMA it is estimated that 528 existing renter households are rent overburdened and fall into the 50% AMI target income segment of the proposed subject property; 740 are in the 60% AMI segment; and 106 are in the Market Rate segment.

Total Effective Tenant Pool - PMA

The potential demand from these sources (in the PMA) total 794 households/units at 50% AMI. The potential demand from these sources (in the PMA) total 1,205 households/units at 60% AMI. The potential demand from these sources (in the PMA) total 607 households/units at Market. These estimates comprises the total income qualified demand pool from which the tenants at the proposed project will be drawn from the PMA, by income target group segment.

Secondary Market Area Adjustment (15% factor)

The following is in the 2008 GA-DCA Market Study Guidelines: "To accommodate for the secondary market area, the Demand from Existing Qualified Households within the primary market area will be multiplied by 115% to account for demand from the secondary market area." The 15% adjustment factor is applied to all of the *combined* demand estimates (regardless of tenure) as detailed in the overall demand methodology.

The secondary market area adjustment factor increased demand by 119 households at 50% AMI; 181 households at 60% AMI and 91 households at Market.

Total Effective Tenant Pool - PMA & SMA

The potential demand from the demand methodology sources from both the PMA and SMA total 931 households/units at 50% AMI. The potential demand from the demand methodology sources from both the PMA and SMA total 1,386 households/units at 60% AMI. The potential demand from the demand methodology sources from both the PMA and SMA total 698 households/units at Market. These estimates comprise the total income qualified demand pool from which the tenants at the proposed project will be drawn from both the PMA and SMA.

These estimates of demand were adjusted for the introduction of new like-kind supply into the PMA between the 2000 to 2010 forecast period. Naturally, not every household in this effective demand pool will choose to enter the market for a new unit; this is the gross effective demand.

The final segmentation process of the demand methodology was to subtract out like-kind competition/supply in the PMA built as a LIHTC property or acquired and rehabed as a LIHTC property since 2000. In the case of the subject, like-kind supply includes other LIHTC and/or LIHTC/Home family developments, and Tax Exempt Bond family developments.

<u>Note</u>: Since 2000, five like-kind competitive family apartment developments have been introduced into the PMA offering LIHTC and Market Rate 2BR and 3BR units.

Like Kind Supply

Alexander @ Stonecrest	2003	(98 @60% AMI and 70 @Market)
Chapel Run	2004	(126 @60% AMI and 0 @Market)
Greens @ Stonecreek	2002	(100 @60% AMI and 38 @Market)
Villas at Friendly Hgts	2002	(78 @60% AMI and 8 @Market)
Cambridge Heights*	2008	(132 @60% AMI and 0 @Market)

^{*}Renovated in 2008 and brought into the LIHTC program. Was known as the Hillandale Park Apartments.

Taking these complexes into consideration reduced the target demand pool to 913 at 50% AMI; 852 at 60% AMI; and 582 at Market.

Upcoming Direct Competition

An additional adjustment is made to the total demand estimate. The estimated number of direct competitive supply under construction and/or in the pipeline for development must be taken into consideration. According to local sources and documentation one LIHTC program assisted multi-family apartment development targeting the non elderly population is in the pipeline for development within the PMA.

In 2007, GA-DCA awarded the 89-unit LIHTC Terraces at Parkview application. This property might offer 100% PBRA, but in order to remain conservative all 89-units will be assumed to be placed into the market at 60% AMI without PBRA. <u>Source</u>: Interviews with existing area LIHTC apartment managers and a review of approved applications presented to GA-DCA between 2000 and 2007 within the Lithonia market, focusing on that area within the PMA

The segmented, effective demand pool for the proposed LIHTC/Market Rate development is summarized in Tables 14 and 15.

Table 14: LIHTC Component

Quantitative Demand Estimate: Villages @ Park View PMA

Demand from New Growth - Renter Households	50% <u>AMI</u>	60% AMI
Total Projected Number of Households (2010)	10,763	10,763
Less: Current Number of Households (2000)	8,308	8,308
Change in Total Renter Households	+2,455	+2,455
% of Renter Households in Target Income Range	10%	<u>17.5</u> %
Total Demand from New Growth	+ 246	+ 430
Demand from Substandard Housing with Renter Households		
Number of Households in Substandard Housing (2000)	454	454
Number of Households in Substandard Housing(2010)	200	200
% of Substandard Households in Target Income Range	<u> </u>	<u>17.5</u> %
Number of Income Qualified Renter Households	20	35
Demand from Existing Renter Households		
Number of Renter Households (2010)	10,763	10,763
Minus substandard housing segment	200	200
Net Number of Existing Renter Households	10,563	10,563
% of Households in Target Income Range	<u> </u>	<u>17.5</u> %
Number of Income Qualified Renter Households	1,056	1,849
Proportion Income Qualified (that are Rent Overburden)	5 <u>0</u> %	<u>40</u> %
Total	528	740
Net Total Demand from the PMA	794	1,205
Secondary Market Area Adjustment		
Net Total Demand	794	1,205
Adjustment Factor of 15%	<u>15</u> %	<u>15</u> %
Demand from SMA Adjustment	119	181
Gross Total Demand (PMA & SMA)	913	1,386
Minus New Supply of Competitive Units (2000-2008)		<u>534</u> *
Gross Total Demand (Renter, Owner, Non Tenure & SMA)	151	852

^{*2}BR & 3BR LIHTC units at: Alexander @ Stonecrest, Chapel Run, Greens @ Stonecreek, Villas @ Friendly Heights, Cambridge Heights

Capture Rate Analysis - LIHTC Component

Total Number of Households Income Qualified = 1,765. For the subject 45 LIHTC units vacant; this equates to an overall LIHTC Capture Rate of 2.6%.

LIHTC Capture Rates by AMI

Required Capture Rate	1.6%	3.5%
Number of Income Qualified Households	913	852
Number of Units in Subject Development	15	30
• <u>Capture Rate</u> (45 unit subject, by AMI)	AMI	AMI
	50%	60%

• Total Demand by Bedroom Mix

It is estimated that approximately 65% of the target group fits the profile for a 2BR unit and 35% of the target group is estimated to fit a 3BR unit profile. Source: Table 4 and Survey of the Competitive Environment.

• Total Demand Adjustment at 50% AMI

At present there in one LIHTC/Market Rate like kind competitive property either under construction or in the pipeline for development. None of the 2BR and 3BR units at the Terraces at Parkview will target households at 50% AMI.

Total Demand by Bedroom Type (at 50% AMI)

2BR - 593

3BR - 320

Total - 913

	Total Demand	New <u>Supply</u> *	Net Demand	Units Proposed	Capture <u>Rate</u>
2BR	593	0	593	12	2.0%
3BR	320	0	320	3	0.9%

• Total Demand Adjustment at 60% AMI

At present there in one LIHTC/Market Rate like kind competitive property either under construction or in the pipeline for development. 53 of the 2BR units and 14 of the 3BR units at the Terraces at Parkview will target households at 60% AMI.

Total Demand by Bedroom Type (at 60% AMI)

2BR - 554

3BR - 298

Total - 852

	New			Units	Capture
	Total Demand	<u>Supply</u> *	Net Demand	Proposed	<u>Rate</u>
2BR	554	53	501	25	5.0%
3BR	298	14	284	5	1.8%

Table 15: Market Rate Component

Quantitative Demand Estimate: Villages @ Park View PMA

● <u>Demand from New Growth - Renter Households</u>	Market <u>Rate</u>
Total Projected Number of Households (2010) Less: Current Number of Households (2000) Change in Total Renter Households % of Renter Households in Target Income Range Total Demand from New Growth	10,763 <u>8,308</u> +2,455 <u>20</u> % + 491
Demand from Substandard Housing with Renter Households	
Number of Households in Substandard Housing (2000) Number of Households in Substandard Housing (2010) % of Substandard Households in Target Income Range Number of Income Qualified Renter Households	454 200 <u>5</u> % 10
• Demand from Existing Renter Households	
Number of Renter Households (2010) Minus substandard housing segment Net Number of Existing Renter Households % of Households in Target Income Range	10,763 200 10,563 <u>20</u> %
Number of Income Qualified Renter Households	2,113
Proportion Income Qualified (that are Rent Overburden)	<u>5</u> %
Total	106
Net Total Demand from the PMA	607
Secondary Market Area Adjustment	
Net Total Demand Adjustment Factor of 15% Demand from SMA Adjustment	607 15% 91
Gross Total Demand (PMA & SMA)	698
Minus New Supply of Competitive Units (1999-2008)	<u> 116</u> *
Gross Total Demand (Renter, Owner, Non Tenure & SMA)	582

^{*2}BR & 3BR Market Rate units w/in LIHTC properties:
Alexander @ Stonecrest, Chapel Run, Greens @ Stonecreek,
Villas @ Friendly Heights, Cambridge Heights

<u>Capture Rate Analysis</u> - Market Rate Component

Required Capture Rate	0.9%
Number of Income Qualified Households	582
Number of Units in Subject Development	5
• <u>Capture Rate</u> (5 Market Rate units)	<u>Rate</u>
	Market

• Total Demand by Bedroom Mix

It is estimated that approximately 65% of the target group fits the profile for a 2BR unit and 35% of the target group is estimated to fit a 3BR unit profile. Source: Table 4 and Survey of the Competitive Environment.

• Total Demand Adjustment at Market

It is assumed hat during the forecast period, 200 2BR units and 100 3BR units will be introduced within the PMA and be competitive with market rate units situated within a LIHTC property, as if the competitive units were placed within a LIHTC property environment.

Total Demand by Bedroom Type (at Market)

2BR - 378 3BR - 204

Total - 582

		$N \in W$		Units	Capture
	Total Demand	<u>Supply</u> *	Net Demand	Proposed	<u>Rate</u>
2BR	378	200	178	3	1.7%
3BR	204	100	104	2	1.9%

Absorption Rate Analysis

Given the strength (or lack of strength) of the demand estimated in Tables 14 and 15, the most likely/best case scenario for 93% to 100% rent-up is estimated to be 6 months (at 8-units per month on average) or less.

<u>Note</u>: In addition, the absorption of the project is contingent upon an attractive product, a competitive amenity package, competitive rents and professional management.

Stabilized occupancy, subsequent to initial lease-up is expected to be 93% or higher.

Overall Impact to the Rental Market

Given the current rental market vacancy rate and the forecasted strength of demand for the expected entry of the subject in 2010, it is estimated that the introduction of the proposed development will probably have little to no long term negative impact on the PMA program assisted apartment market. Any imbalance caused by initial tenant turnover is expected to be temporary, i.e., less than / up to 1 year. (Note: This expectation is contingent upon neither catastrophic natural nor economic forces effecting the Lithonia / DeKalb County apartment market and local economy in 2010.)

SECTION G

COMPETITIVE ENVIRONMENT & SUPPLY ANALYSIS

his section of the report evaluates the general rental housing market conditions in the PMA, for both program assisted properties and market rate properties. Part I of the survey focused upon the existing LIHTC program assisted family properties within the PMA. Part II consisted of a sample survey of conventional

apartment properties in the PMA. The analysis includes individual summaries and pictures of properties as well as an overall summary rent reconciliation analysis.

The Lithonia PMA apartment market is representative of an urban apartment market, with a very sizable mixture of small to large apartment properties as well as a very sizable mixture of conventional properties and program assisted properties.

Survey of the Competitive Environment - LIHTC Family Supply

- * Nine LIHTC family properties, representing 1,498-units, were surveyed within the PMA, in detail. At the time of the survey, one of the LIHTC family properties was in the process of rehab and another was in the process of new construction development.
- * At the time of the survey, the overall estimated vacancy rate of the surveyed program assisted LIHTC family properties was approximately 3%. The typical occupancy rate reported at the surveyed LIHTC properties ranged between 94% and 99%. Half of the surveyed LIHTC properties reported to have a waiting list.
- * The bedroom mix of the surveyed LIHTC apartment properties is 17% 1BR, 53% 2BR, 29.5% 3BR, and 0.5% 4BR.
- * The survey of the LIHTC family apartment market targeting households at 60% AMI exhibited the following: median, average, and range of net rents, by bedroom type, in the area competitive environment:

LIHTC Competitive Environment - Net Rents (60% AMI)										
BR/Rent	Average	Median	Range							
1BR/1b	\$665	\$630	\$595-\$730							
2BR/1b	\$690	Na	\$679-\$710							
2BR/2b	\$778	\$770	\$699-\$860							
3BR/2b	\$857	\$850	\$740-\$945							
4BR/2b	\$1045	\$1045	Na							

Source: Koontz & Salinger. May, 2008

* The sizes of the units targeting households at 60% AMI vary widely. Listed below are the average, median and range of the unit sizes, by bedroom type for the surveyed LIHTC family properties:

LIHTC (60% AMI) Competitive Environment - Unit Size, by Bedroom										
Bedroom Type Average Median Range										
1BR/1b	823	800	714-856							
2BR/1b	969	954	950-1009							
2BR/2b	1042	1000	964-1122							
3BR/2b	1218	1220	1023-1405							
4BR/2b	1423	1423	Na							

Source: Koontz & Salinger. May, 2008

* The estimated rent per square foot data for the surveyed LIHTC family properties targeting households at 60% AMI, by bedroom type is:

LIHTC (60% AMI) Competitive Environment - Rent Per SF										
Bedroom Type	Average	Median	Range							
1BR/1b	\$.81	\$.79	\$.75-\$.85							
2BR/1b	\$.71	Na	\$.68-\$.72							
2BR/2b	\$.75	\$.77	\$.69-\$.80							
3BR/2b	\$.70	\$.70	\$.67-\$.72							
4BR/2b	\$.73	\$.73	Na							

Source: Koontz & Salinger. May, 2008

Survey of the Competitive Environment - Market Rate Supply

- * Twenty market rate properties, representing 5,341 units, were surveyed within or adjacent to the PMA, in detail. Several key factors in the PMA market rate apartment market include:
- * At the time of the survey, the overall estimated vacancy rate of the surveyed market rate properties was approximately 4.5%. The reported ranged of typical occupancy rates was 85% to 98%. The median typical occupancy rate was 93%. None of the surveyed market properties reported having a waiting list.

- * The bedroom mix of the surveyed conventional apartment properties is 27% OBR & 1BR, 57% 2BR, and 16% 3BR & 4BR.
- * The survey of the market rate apartment market exhibited the following: median, average, and range of net rents, by bedroom type, within the area competitive environment:

Conventional Rate Competitive Environment - Net Rents											
BR/Rent	Average	Median	Range								
1BR/1b	\$700	\$690	\$495-\$950								
2BR/1b	\$778	\$800	\$600-\$886								
2BR/2b	\$835	\$790	\$595-\$1100								
3BR/2b	\$913	\$940	\$730-\$1195								
4BR/2b	\$911	\$926	\$830-\$1040								

Source: Koontz & Salinger. May, 2008

* The sizes of the units vary widely. Listed below are the average, median and range of the unit sizes, by bedroom type for the surveyed market rate properties:

Conventional Competitive Environment - Unit Size, by Bedroom										
Bedroom Type	Average	Median	Range							
1BR/1b	785	740	573-1070							
2BR/1b	1027	1010	864-1100							
2BR/2b	1145	1160	864-1350							
3BR/2b	1524	1350	1202-1740							
4BR/2b	1828	1515	1350-2377							

Source: Koontz & Salinger. May, 2008

* The estimated rent per square foot data for the surveyed market rate properties, by bedroom type is:

Conventional Competitive Environment - Rent Per SF											
Bedroom Type	Average	Median	Range								
1BR/1b	\$.89	\$.93	\$.86-\$.89								
2BR/1b	\$.76	\$.79	\$.69-\$.81								
2BR/2b	\$.73	\$.68	\$.67-\$.81								
3BR/2b	\$.60	\$.70	\$.58-\$.72								
4BR/2b	\$.50	\$.61	\$.44-\$.67								

Source: Koontz & Salinger. May, 2008

- * 14 of the 20 market rate properties offer some type of rent and/or security deposit concession.
- * Security deposits range in amount from \$0 to \$350. The median security deposit is \$200.
- * Fifty percent of the market rate properties offer no utilities in the net/contract rent. 50% of the surveyed market rate properties do include trash removal in the net rent and 10% include water, sewer and trash removal.

Fair Market Rents

The 2008 Fair Market Rents for the Atlanta MSA (which includes DeKalb County, GA) are as follows:

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Efficiency = $ 684

1 BR Unit = $ 741

2 BR Unit = $ 824

3 BR Unit = $1003

4 BR Unit = $1094
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*Fair Market Rents are gross rents (include utility costs)

Source: www.huduser.org

<u>Note</u>: The proposed subject property gross rents, by bedroom type at 50% and 60% AMI are set below the 2008 maximum Fair Market Rents in the Atlanta MSA at the 50% and 60% AMI level for the subject 2BR and 3BR units. Thus, the proposed subject property 2BR and 3BR units at 50% and 60% AMI will be readily marketable to area Section 8 voucher holders.

Table 16, exhibits the project size, bedroom mix, number of vacant units (at time of the survey), net rents and unit sizes of the surveyed LIHTC apartment properties in the PMA competitive environment.

						Table	16								
	SURVEY OF PMA LIHTC APARTMENT COMPLEXES PROJECT PARAMETERS														
Complex		Total Units	1BR	2BR	3BR	Vac. Units	1BR Rent	2BR Rent	3BR Rent	SF 1BR	SF 2BR	SF 3BR			
Subject		50		40	10	Na		\$690- \$769	\$801- \$894		850	1100			
Alexander Stone Crest		262	94	112	56	8	\$695- \$795	\$825- \$939	\$945- \$1100	856	1093	1329			
Cambridge		132		66	66	**		\$735	\$835		1000	1197			
Candlers Crossing		276	60	166	50	20	\$629	\$679- \$699	\$825	850	950- 1000	1200			
Chapel Run		172	36	88	48	1	\$730	\$860	\$945- \$1045	834	1082	1222- 1423			
Greens @ Stonecrest		138		69	69	3		\$825- \$1010	\$945- \$1100		1122	1344			
Grovewood		120		56	64	0		\$700	\$740		1004	1153			
Parc Chateau		177	12	102	63	0	\$361- \$418	\$409- \$474	\$440- \$510	596	930	1125			
Terraces @ Parkview		89	22	53	14	**	\$595	\$710	\$810	718	954- 1090	1267- 1405			
Friendly Heights		132	30	78	24	4	\$610- \$670	\$770- \$850	\$900	714- 748	964- 998	1023			
Total*		1,498	254	790	454	36									

^{* -} Excludes the subject property

Note: 4BR units included in 3BR count

Source: Koontz and Salinger. May, 2008.

^{** -} In process of rehab or new construction development

Table 17, exhibits the project size, bedroom mix, number of vacant units (at time of the survey), net rents and unit sizes of the surveyed market rate apartment properties in the PMA competitive environment.

	Table 17														
	SURVEY OF PMA MARKET RATE APARTMENT COMPLEXES PROJECT PARAMETERS														
Complex		Total Units	1BR	2BR	3BR	Vac. Units	1BR Rent	2BR Rent	3BR Rent	SF 1BR	SF 2BR	SF 3BR			
Subject		50		40	10	Na		\$690- \$769	\$801- \$894		850	1100			
Ansley Oaks		95	15	67	13	4	\$645- \$650	\$685- \$738	\$857- \$926	850	1100	1250- 1350			
Arbor Crsg		240	60	124	56	5	\$635	\$735	\$850	740	1005	1250			
Ashley V.		312	108	144	60	1	\$797	\$947	\$937	750	1035	1202			
Autumn Cove		48	39	9		1	\$549	\$629- \$669		576	864				
Concepts 21		250	70	144	36	16	\$570- \$601	\$659- \$750	\$816	605- 876	1090- 1136	1279			
Creekside Corner		440	130	265	45	37	\$685- \$705	\$836- \$865	\$1045	696- 755	1054	1354			
Creekside		280	98	154	28	17	\$790- \$950	\$1000- \$1100	\$1130- \$1145	704- 1070	1022- 1219	1384			
C. Atlanta		200	48	120	32	11	\$565	\$665	\$775	740	1005	1250			
Hampton Woods		344	168	176		3	\$644- \$649	\$789		573- 652	1003				
Highland Greens		415		286	125	10		\$620- \$795	\$740- \$940		1072- 1350	1411- 1585			
Highland Estates		140	40	70	30	10	\$560	\$680	\$805- \$1040	990	1250	1740- 2377			
Lexington		215	110	80	25	8	\$750	\$875	\$1040	884	1161	1354			
Oaks @ Stonecrest		280	19	229	32	16	\$570	\$600- \$695	\$775	726	960- 1008	1276			
Rainbow Forest		166		100	66	2		\$675	\$775		1161	1322- 1464			
Retreat @ Stonecrest		276	114	144	18	13	\$765	\$895	\$1050	890	1120	1350			
Towering Pines		216	60	92	64	22	\$495	\$595	\$730- \$830	727	964	1217- 1515			

	Table 17														
	SURVEY OF PMA MARKET RATE APARTMENT COMPLEXES PROJECT PARAMETERS														
Complex	Total Units 1BR 2BR 3BR Vac. 1BR 2BR 3BR SF SF SF 3BR SF 2BR 3BR														
Walden Brook	256	60	146	50	5	\$695- \$850	\$858- \$895	\$1015- \$1054	732	1013- 1252	1425- 1532				
Wesley Kensington	371	110	210	51	25	\$686	\$853	\$1016	920	1280	1525				
Wesley Providence	579	169	340	70	20	\$730- \$770	\$875- \$890	\$1100	920	1280	1525				
Wesley Stonecrest	218	65	131	22	4	\$721	\$834	\$1195	700	1000	1250				
Total*	5,341	1,483	3,031	827	230										

^{* -} Excludes the subject property

0BR units are included in the 1BR count

4BR units are included in the 3BR count

Source: Koontz and Salinger. May, 2008.

Table 18, exhibits the key amenities of the subject and the surveyed LIHTC apartment properties.

	Table 18 SURVEY OF PMA LIHTC APARTMENT COMPLEXES UNIT & PROJECT AMENITIES												
Complex	A	В	С	D	Е	F	G	Н	I	J	K	L	M
Subject	x	х			х	х	x	х	х	х	х	х	х
Alexander Stonecrest	х	X	Х		Х	Х	Х	X	Х	X	Х	Х	x
Cambridge	X	х			X	x	x	X	x	X	X		х
Candlers Crossing	X	х	X		Х	x	X	х	X	х	X		x
Chapel Run	Х	х	х		х	х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	х	х
Greens Stonecreek	х	X	Х		Х	Х	Х	X	Х	X	Х	Х	x
Grovewood	Х	Х			Х	х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	х
Parc Chateau	х	X			Х	Х			Х	X	X	X	X
Terrace @ Parkview	х	X			X	X	X	X	X	Х	X	X	
Friendly Heights	х	X	Х		Х	X	Х	X	X	X	X	X	х

Source: Koontz and Salinger. May, 2008.

M - Storage/other (inc. - ceiling fan, microwave, patio/balcony)

Table 19, exhibits the key amenities of the subject and the surveyed Market Rate apartment properties.

Table 19 SURVEY OF PMA MARKET RATE APARTMENT COMPLEXES UNIT & PROJECT AMENITIES													
Complex	A	В	С	D	Е	F	G	Н	I	J	K	L	M
Subject	x	x			x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	х
Ansley Oak		х	х			X		х	х	х	X		х
Arbor Crsg	x	х	x	х	x	x	X	x	х	х	x	х	х
Ashley V.	х	х	х	х	x	X	X	х	х	х	х	х	
Autumn C.	x	х				s	X	х	х	х	X		х
Concepts 21	x	x	x		x	х	X	х	х	x	x	x	X
Creekside Crossing	х	X	x		X	X	X	x	x	х	x	X	X
Creekside	x	х	х		х	Х	Х	х	х	х	х	Х	х
Crossing A.	Хх		х		х	х	х	х	х	х	х	Х	х
Hampton W	х	х	х		X	х	X	х	х	х	х	X	Х
Highland Greens	х	x	x		X	X	x	x	x	х	X	x	X
Highland E	х	х	х		х	х	Х	х	х	х	х	Х	х
Lexington	х	х	х		х	х	Х	х	х	х	х	Х	х
Oaks @ S.	х	х	х	х	х	Х	х	х	х	х	х	х	х
Rainbow F	х	х	х		x	X	х	х	х	х	х	s	Х
Retreat S.	х	х	х		x	X	х	х	х	х	х	х	Х
Towering F	х	х	x		x	x	x	х	х	х	x	x	Х
Walden B	X	х	x	х	X	х	х	х	х	х	x	х	х
Wesley K	X	х	x	х	X	х	х	х	х	х	x	х	х
Wesley P	X	х	x	х	X	х	х	х	х	х	x	х	х
Wesley S	X	X	X	X	X	Х	Х	X	X	X	X	Х	х

Source: Koontz and Salinger. May, 2008.

M - Storage/other (inc. - ceiling fan, microwave, patio/balcony)

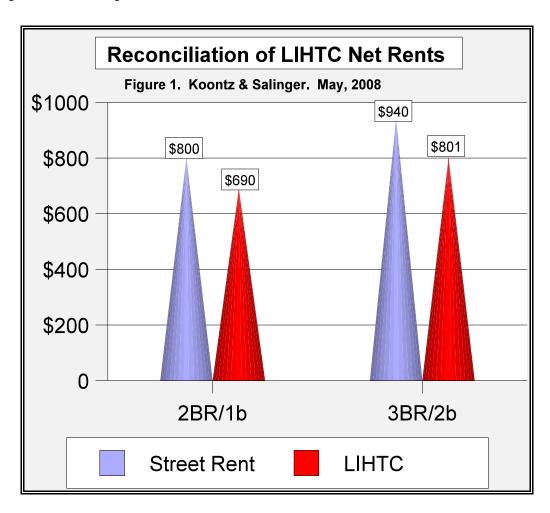
Reconciliation of LIHTC Net Rents

The survey of the competitive environment revealed the following market based findings regarding net rents for the proposed 2BR and 3BR LIHTC units. Figure 1 below exhibits the estimated average conventional (street) net rents in relation to the proposed subject property 2BR and 3BR net rents at 50% and 60% AMI.

Data Set Proposed

Bedroom Type	Market Rate Street Rent	Subject R 50% AMI &	
2BR/1b	\$800	\$690	\$690
3BR/2b	\$940	\$801	\$801

Figure 1, reveals that the proposed subject 2BR/1b net rent at 50% AMI and 60% AMI is approximately 14% less than the comparable/competitive 2BR/1b net rents at Market. The proposed subject 3BR/2b net rent at 50% AMI and 60% AMI is approximately 15% less than the comparable/competitive 3BR/2b net rents at Market.



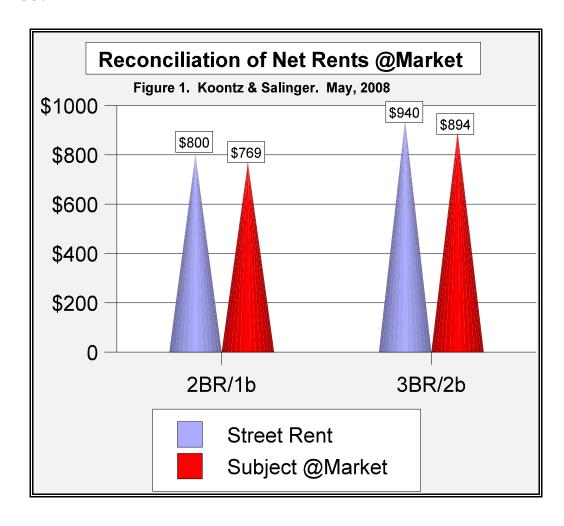
Reconciliation of 2BR & 3BR Net Rents - @ Market

The survey of the competitive environment revealed the following market based findings regarding net rents for the proposed 2BR and 3BR units targeting households at Market. Figure 1 below exhibits the estimated average conventional (street) net rents for 2BR and 3BR units in relation to the proposed subject property 2BR and 3BR net rents at Market.

Data Set	Proposed
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Bedroom Type	Market Rate Street Rent	Subject Rents at <u>Market</u>
2BR/1b	\$800	\$769
3BR/2b	\$940	\$894

Figure 1, reveals that the proposed subject 2BR/1b net rent at Market is approximately 4% less than the comparable/competitive 2BR/1b net rents at Market. The proposed subject 3BR/2b net rent at Market is approximately 5% less than the comparable/competitive 3BR/2b net rents at Market.



The data on the individual complexes, reported on the following pages, were reported by the owners or managers of the specific projects. In some cases, the managers / owners were unable to report on a specific project item, or declined to provide detailed information.

A map showing the location of the surveyed LIHTC properties is provided on page 13. A map showing the location of the surveyed Market Rate properties is provided on page 91.

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Survey of the Competitive Environment - Family LIHTC Properties

1. Alexander @ Stonecrest, 100 Leslie Oaks (770) 482-7759

Contact Type: Telephone interview

Unit Type	Number	AMI Rent 50% & 60%	Market Rate <u>Rent</u>	<u>Size</u> sf	Vacant
1BR/1b	70	\$695		856	2
1BR/1b	24		\$795	856	1
2BR/2b	70	\$825		1093	3
2BR/2b	42		\$939	1093	2
3BR/2b	28	\$945		1329	0
3BR/2b	28		\$1100	1329	0
Total	262				8

Typical Occupancy Rate: 97% Waiting List: No Security Deposit: \$150 Concessions: No Utilities Included: trash Turnover: "low"

Amenities - Unit

Stove	Yes	Air Conditioning	Yes
Refrigerator	Yes	Cable Ready	Yes
Dishwasher	Yes	Carpeting	Yes
Disposal	Yes	Window Treatment	Yes
Washer/Dryer	No	Ceiling Fan	Yes
W/D Hook Up	Yes	Patio/Balcony	Yes

Amenities - Project

Mgmt Office	Yes (office)	Pool	Yes
Laundry Room	Yes	Clubhouse	Yes
Fitness Ctr	Yes	Recreation Area	Yes
Storage	No	Picnic Area	Yes

Design: 3 story walk-up

Remarks: 25% of units have Section 8 voucher holders; 3BR in most demand



2. Cambridge Heights, 6136 Hillandale Rd (770) 981-6323

Contact: Kathy Cox (5/7/08) Type: LIHTC Rehab Date Built: rehabed as a LIHTC - 2008 Condition: Very Good

Contact Type: Telephone interview

Unit Type	Number	Rent at 60% AMI	Market Rate <u>Rent</u>	<u>Size</u> sf	<u>Vacant</u>
2BR/2b 3BR/2b	66 66	\$735 \$835		1000 1197	*
Total	132				"In process of Rehab"

Typical Occupancy Rate: Na Waiting List: Na Security Deposit: \$250 Concessions: No Utilities Included: None Turnover: Na

Amenities - Unit

Stove	Yes	Air Conditioning	Yes
Refrigerator	Yes	Cable Ready	Yes
Dishwasher	Yes	Carpeting	Yes
Disposal	Yes	Window Treatment	Yes
Washer/Dryer	No	Ceiling Fan	Yes
W/D Hook Up	Yes	Patio/Balcony	Yes

Amenities - Project

Mgmt Office	Yes	Pool	No
Laundry Room	Yes	Community Room	No
Fitness Ctr	No	Recreation Area	Yes
Storage	No	Picnic Area	No

Design: 2-story walk-up

Remarks: 68% of complex or 90-units have been renovated; of the 90-units

Rehabed - 100% are occupied; 3BR units are in greatest demand



3. Candlers Crossing, 3000 Ember Dr, Decatur (404) 244-6114

Contact: Ms Shadee (5/6/08)

Date Built: 1968 Rehab 1994

Condition: Good

Contact Type: Telephone interview

		Net Rent		
Unit Type	Number	<u>60% AMI</u>	<u>Size</u> sf	Vacant
1BR/1b	60	\$629	850	2
2BR/1b	100	\$679	950	5
2BR/2b	66	\$699	1000	5
3BR/2b	50	\$825	1200	8
Total	276			20

Typical Occupancy Rate: 94% Waiting List: No Security Deposit: \$200 Concessions: No Utilities Included: water, sewer, trash Turnover: Na

Amenities - Unit

Stove	Yes	Air Conditioning	Yes
Refrigerator	Yes	Cable Ready	Yes
Dishwasher	Yes	Carpeting	Yes
Disposal	Yes	Window Treatment	Yes
Washer/Dryer	No	Ceiling Fan	No
W/D Hook Up	Some	Patio/Balcony	Yes

Amenities - Project

Mgmt Office	Yes	Pool	Yes
Laundry Room	Yes	Community Room	No
Fitness Ctr	No	Recreation Area	Yes
Storage	No	Picnic Area	Yes

Design: 3 story walk-up

Remarks: 15 units have Section 8 vouchers



4. Chapel Run, 4522 Snapfinger Woods, Decatur (770) 808-5777

Type: LIHTC/Tax Ex Bond Contact: Antonia, Lsg Cons (5/6/08) Condition: Excellent

Date Built: 2003

Contact Type: Telephone interview

<u>Unit Type</u>	Number	Net Rent 60% AMI	<u>Size</u> sf	Vacant
1BR/1b	36	\$730	834	1
2BR/2b 3BR/2b	88 36	\$860 \$945	1082 1222	0
4BR/2b	12	\$1045	1423	0
Total	172			1

Typical Occupancy Rate: 99% Waiting List: Yes (4)

Security Deposit: \$150 Concessions: No Utilities Included: trash Turnover: "low"

Amenities - Unit

Stove	Yes	Air Conditioning	Yes
Refrigerator	Yes	Cable Ready	Yes
Dishwasher	Yes	Carpeting	Yes
Disposal	Yes	Window Treatment	Yes
Washer/Dryer	No	Ceiling Fan	Yes
W/D Hook Up	Yes	Patio/Balcony	Yes

Amenities - Project

Mgmt Office	Yes	Pool	Yes
Laundry Room	Yes	Community Room	Yes
Fitness Ctr	No	Recreation Area	Yes
Storage	No	Picnic Area	Yes

Design: 3 story walk-up

Remarks: 50% Section 8 voucher holders; 3BR & 4BR in most demand



5. Greens @ Stonecreek, 101 Deercreek Crsg (770) 481-9401

Contact Type: Telephone interview

Unit Type	Number	Rent at 60% AMI	Market Rate <u>Rent</u>	<u>Size</u> sf	Vacant
2BR/2b	50	\$825		1122	1
2BR/2.5b	19		\$1010	1122	0
3BR/2b	50	\$945		1344	2
3BR/2.5b	19		\$1100	1344	0
Total	138				3

Typical Occupancy Rate: 97% Waiting List: No Security Deposit: \$150 Concessions: No Utilities Included: water, sewer, trash Turnover: "low"

Amenities - Unit

Stove	Yes	Air Conditioning	Yes
Refrigerator	Yes	Cable Ready	Yes
Dishwasher	Yes	Carpeting	Yes
Disposal	Yes	Window Treatment	Yes
Washer/Dryer	Some	Ceiling Fan	No
W/D Hook Up	Yes	Patio/Balcony	No

Amenities - Project

Mgmt Office	Yes	Pool	Yes
Laundry Room	Yes	Community Room	No
Fitness Ctr	Yes	Recreation Area	Yes
Storage	No	Picnic Area	No

Design: 2 story walk-up

Remarks: 10%-20% Section 8 voucher holders



6. Grovewood Park, 6170 Hillandale Dr (770) 808-4431

Contact: Lisa Jones, Mgr (5/7/08) Type: LIHTC

Date Built: 1996

Contact Type: Telephone interview

Unit Type	Number	Net Rent 60% AMI%	Market Rate <u>Rent</u>	<u>Size</u> sf	Vacant
2BR/2b 3BR/2b	56 64	\$700 \$740		1004 1153	0
Total	120				0

Condition: Very Good

Typical Occupancy Rate: 99% Waiting List: Yes Security Deposit: \$350 Concessions: No Utilities Included: water, sewer, trash Turnover: Na

Amenities - Unit

Yes	Air Conditioning	Yes
Yes	Cable Ready	Yes
Yes	Carpeting	Yes
Yes	Window Treatment	Yes
No	Ceiling Fan	No
No	Patio/Balcony	Yes
	Yes Yes Yes No	Yes Cable Ready Yes Carpeting Yes Window Treatment No Ceiling Fan

Amenities - Project

Mgmt Office	Yes	Pool	No
Laundry Room	Yes	Clubhouse	Yes
Fitness Ctr	Yes	Recreation Area	Yes
Storage	No	Picnic Area	Yes

Design: 2-story walk-up

Remarks: 3 to 6 month waiting list



7. Parc Chateau, 2361 Park Chateau Dr (770) 482-2530

Contact: Tonya (5/8/08)

Date Built: 1974

Type: HUD 236

Condition: Good

Contact Type: Telephone interview

Unit Type	Number	Net Rent 40% AMI%	Market Rate <u>Rent</u>	<u>Size</u> sf	Vacant
1BR/1b 2BR/1b 3BR/1.5b	12 102 63	\$361 \$409 \$440	\$418 \$474 \$510	596 930 1125	0 0 0
Total	177				0

Typical Occupancy Rate: 99% Waiting List: Yes Security Deposit: 1 month rent Concessions: No Utilities Included: water, sewer, trash Turnover: Na

Amenities - Unit

Stove	Yes	Air Conditioning	Yes
Refrigerator	Yes	Cable Ready	Yes
Dishwasher	No	Carpeting	Yes
Disposal	No	Window Treatment	Yes
Washer/Dryer	No	Ceiling Fan	No
W/D Hook Up	Yes	Patio/Balcony	Yes

Amenities - Project

On-Site Mo	gmt Yes	(office)	Pool	No
Laundry Ro	oom Yes		Community Room	Yes
Fitness Ct	er No		Recreation Area	Yes
Storage	No		Picnic Area	No

Design: 2 story walk-up

Remarks: 15 to 20 units are occupied by Section 8 voucher holders



8. Terraces @ Parkview, 2526 Park Dr (404)873638273

Contact: Ms. Sule Carpenter (5/8/08) Type: LIHTC

Date Built: 2008 Condition: Excellent

Contact Type: Telephone interview

Unit Type	Number	Net Rent 60% AMI	<u>Size</u> sf	Vacant	
1BR/1b 2BR/1b	22 53	\$595 \$710	718 954-1090	*	
3BR/2b	14	\$810	1267-1405	*	
Total	89		"In	process of	development"

Typical Occupancy Rate: Na Waiting List: Na Security Deposit: Na Concessions: No Utilities Included: water, sewer, trash Turnover: Na

Amenities - Unit

Stove	Yes	Air Conditioning	Yes
Refrigerator	Yes	Cable Ready	Yes
Dishwasher	Yes	Carpeting	Yes
Disposal	Yes	Window Treatment	Yes
Washer/Dryer	No	Ceiling Fan	No
W/D Hook Up	No	Patio/Balcony	No

Amenities - Project

Mgmt Office	Yes	Pool	No
Laundry Room	Yes	Community Room	Yes
Fitness Ctr	No	Recreation Area	Yes
Storage	No	Picnic Area	Yes

Design: 3 story walk-up

Remarks: 100% PBRA

9. Villas of Friendly Heights, 1300 Friendly (770) 322-8700 Heights Blvd

Contact Type: Telephone interview

Unit Type	Number	Rent at 60% AMI	Market Rate <u>Rent</u>	<u>Size</u> sf	Vacant
1BR/1b	9	PBRA		714-748	0
1BR/1b	21	\$610-\$670		714-748	0
2BR/2b	16	PBRA		964-998	0
2BR/2b	54	\$770		964-998	3
2BR/2b	8		\$850	964-998	0
3BR/2b	24	\$900		1023	1
Total	132				4

Typical Occupancy Rate: 99% Waiting List: Yes Security Deposit: Na Concessions: No Utilities Included: water, sewer, trash Turnover: "low"

Amenities - Unit

Stove	Yes	Air Conditioning	Yes
Refrigerator	Yes	Cable Ready	Yes
Dishwasher	Yes	Carpeting	Yes
Disposal	Yes	Window Treatment	Yes
Washer/Dryer	No	Ceiling Fan	No
W/D Hook Up	Yes	Patio/Balcony	Yes

Amenities - Project

Mgmt Office	Yes	Pool	Yes
Laundry Room	Yes	Community Room	Yes
Fitness Ctr	Yes	Recreation Area	Yes
Storage	Yes	Picnic Area	No

Design: 3 story walk-up w/controlled access

Remarks: 25% of the units have Section 8 vouchers; business center



Survey of the Competitive Environment - Market Rate

1. Ansley Oak, 6813 Main Street

(770) 482-7557

Contact: Barbara, Mgr (5/6/08)

Date Built: 1969

Contact Type: Telephone interview

Type: Market Rate Condition: Good

				Rent	
Unit Type	Number	Rent	<u>Size</u> sf	Per SF	<u>Vacant</u>
1BR/1b	1	\$645	850	\$.76	1
1BR/1.5b TH	14	\$650	850	\$.76	1
2BR/1b	1	\$685	1100	\$.62	1
2BR/1.5b TH	66	\$738	1100	\$.67	0
3BR/1.5b TH	12	\$857	1250	\$.69	1
4BR/1.5b TH	1	\$926	1350	\$.69	0
Total	95				4

Typical Occupancy Rate: 95% Waiting List: No Security Deposit: \$0 Concessions: Yes Utilities Included: water, sewer, trash Turnover: Na

Amenities - Unit

Stove	Yes	Air Conditioning	Yes
Refrigerator	Yes	Cable Ready	Yes
Dishwasher	Yes	Carpeting	Yes
Disposal	No	Window Treatment	Yes
Washer/Dryer	No	Ceiling Fan	No
W/D Hook Up	Yes	Patio/Balcony	Yes

Amenities - Project

Mgmt Office	No	Pool	Yes
Laundry Room	Yes	Community Room	No
Fitness Ctr	No	Recreation Area	No
Storage	No	Tennis Court	No

Design: 2 story walk-up & townhouse

Remarks: concession = no admin fee of \$200



2. Arbor Crossing Apartments, Arbor Crossing Dr (770) 981-5471

Type: Market Rate Contact: Yolanda, Mgr (5/6/08) Date Built: 1989 Condition: Good

Contact Type: Telephone interview

	_			Rent	
<u>Unit Type</u>	Number	Rent	<u>Size</u> sf	<u>Per SF</u>	<u>Vacant</u>
1BR/1b	60	\$635	740	\$.86	0
2BR/2b	124	\$735	1005	\$.73	5
3BR/2b	56	\$850	1250	\$.68	0
Total	240				5

Typical Occupancy Rate: low 90's Waiting List: No Concessions: Yes Security Deposit: \$175 Turnover: Na

Utilities Included: None

Amenities - Unit

Stove	Yes	Air Conditioning	Yes
Refrigerator	Yes	Cable Ready	Yes
Dishwasher	Yes	Carpeting	Yes
Disposal	Yes	Window Treatment	Yes
Washer/Dryer	Yes	Ceiling Fan	Yes
W/D Hook Up	Yes	Patio/Balcony	No

Amenities - Project

Mgmt Office	Yes	Pool	Yes
Laundry Room	Yes	Community Room	Yes
Fitness Ctr	Yes	Recreation Area	Yes
Storage	No	Tennis Court	Yes

Design: 3 story walk-up

Remarks: concession on admin fee and security deposit



3. Ashley Vista Apartments, 100 Camellia Ln (770) 482-5840

Contact Type: Telephone interview

Unit Type	Number	<u>Rent</u>	<u>Size</u> sf	Rent Per SF	Vacant
1BR/1b 2BR/2b	108 144	\$797 \$947	750 1035	\$1.06 \$.92	1
3BR/2b	60	\$937	1202	\$.78	0
Total	312				1

Typical Occupancy Rate: low 90's Waiting List: No Security Persons: %150

Security Deposit: %150 Concessions: Yes Utilities Included: trash Turnover: Na

Amenities - Unit

Stove	Yes	Air Conditioning	Yes
Refrigerator	Yes	Cable Ready	Yes
Dishwasher	Yes	Carpeting	Yes
Disposal	Yes	Window Treatment	Yes
Washer/Dryer	No	Ceiling Fan	No
W/D Hook Up	Yes	Patio/Balcony	No

Amenities - Project

Mgmt Office	Yes	Pool	Yes
Laundry Room	Yes	Community Room	Yes
Fitness Ctr	Yes	Recreation Area	Yes
Storage	No	Tennis Court	Yes

Design: 3-story walk-up

Remarks: does not accept Section 8 vouchers; rent concession = deposit



4. Autumn Cove, 6200 Hillandale Dr (770) 981-5460

Contact: Ms Okamie, Mgr. (5/8/08)

Date Built: 1986

Contact Type: Telephone interview

Type: Market Rate

Picnic Area

No

Condition: Very Good

				Rent	
Unit Type	Number	Rent	<u>Size</u> sf	Per SF	<u>Vacant</u>
1BR/1b	39	\$549	576	\$.95	0
2BR/1b	6	\$629	864	\$.73	0
2BR/2b	3	\$669	864	\$.77	1
Total	48				1

Typical Occupancy Rate: 98% Waiting List: No Security Deposit: \$200 Concessions: No Utilities Included: None Turnover: Na

No

Amenities - Unit

Stove Refrigerator Dishwasher Disposal Washer/Dryer W/D Hook Up Amenities - Project	Yes Yes Some Yes No Yes	Air Conditioning Cable Ready Carpeting Window Treatment Ceiling Fan Patio/Balcony	Yes wall Yes Yes Yes Yes
Mgmt Office Laundry Room	Yes Yes	Pool Community Room	No No
Fitness Ctr	No	Recreation Area	No

Design: walk-up

Storage



5. Concepts 21, 5650 Hillandale Dr (770) 593-1988

Contact: Michelle, Lsg. Con. (5/6/08)

Date Built: 1988

Contact Type: Telephone interview

Type: Market Rate Condition: Very Good

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Typical Occupancy Rate: 92% Waiting List: No Security Deposit: \$125 Concessions: No Utilities Included: trash Turnover: Na

Amenities - Unit

Stove	Yes	Air Conditioning	Yes
Refrigerator	Yes	Cable Ready	Yes
Dishwasher	Yes	Carpeting	Yes
Disposal	Yes	Window Treatment	Yes
Washer/Dryer	No	Ceiling Fan	Yes
W/D Hook Up	Yes	Patio/Balcony	Yes

Amenities - Project

Mgmt Office	Yes	Pool	Yes
Laundry Room	Yes	Community Room	Yes
Fitness Ctr	No	Recreation Area	Yes
Storage	Yes	Picnic Area	Yes

Design: two-story walk-up

Remarks: studio's & 1BR's in most demand - typically full



6. Creekside Corner Apartments, 5301 Fairington (770) 323-2265

Contact Type: Telephone interview

Unit Type	Number	Rent	<u>Size</u> sf	Rent <u>Per SF</u>	Vacant
1BR/1b 2BR/1b 3BR/2b	130 265 45	\$685-\$705 \$836-\$865 \$1045	696-755 1054 1354	\$.93-\$.98 \$.79-\$.82 \$.77	25 10 2
Total	440				37

Typical Occupancy Rate: low to mid 90's Waiting List: Na Security Deposit: \$350 Concessions: Yes Utilities Included: None Turnover: Na

Amenities - Unit

Stove	Yes	Air Conditioning	Yes
Refrigerator	Yes	Cable Ready	Yes
Dishwasher	Yes	Carpeting	Yes
Disposal	Yes	Window Treatment	Yes
Washer/Dryer	No	Ceiling Fan	No
W/D Hook Up	Yes	Patio/Balcony	Yes

Amenities - Project

Mgmt Office	Yes	Pool	Yes
Laundry Room	Yes	Community Room	Yes
Fitness Ctr	Yes	Recreation Area	Yes
Storage	Yes	Picnic Area	Yes

Design: 3-story walk-up



7. Creekside Apartments, 100 Cavalier Crossing (770) 808-0860

Contact Type: Telephone interview

Unit Type	Number	Rent	<u>Size</u> sf	Rent <u>Per SF</u>	Vacant
1BR/1b 2BR/2b 3BR/2b	98 154 28	\$790-\$950 \$1000-\$1100 \$1130-\$1145	704-1070 1022-1219 1384	\$.89-\$1.12 \$.90-\$.98 \$.82	7 9 1
Total	280				17

Typical Occupancy Rate: 91%-95% Waiting List: No Security Deposit: \$150 Concessions: Yes Utilities Included: None Turnover: Na

Amenities - Unit

Yes	Air Conditioning	Yes
Yes	Caple Ready Carpeting	Yes Yes
Yes	Window Treatment	Yes
Yes	Patio/Balcony	No Yes
	Yes Yes Yes No	Yes Cable Ready Yes Carpeting Yes Window Treatment No Ceiling Fan

Amenities - Project

Mgmt Office	Yes	Pool	Yes
Laundry Room	Yes	Community Room	Yes
Fitness Ctr	Yes	Recreation Area	Yes
Storage	Yes	Picnic Area	Yes

Design: walk-up



8. Crossing Atlanta, 6256 Hillandale Dr (770) 593-9573

Contact: Lauren (5/8/08)

Date Built: 1985

Contact Type: Telephone interview

Type: Market Rate Condition: Good

Unit Type	Number	Rent	<u>Size</u> sf	Rent <u>Per SF</u>	Vacant
1BR/1b 2BR/2b 3BR/2b	48 120 32	\$565 \$665 \$775	740 1005 1250	\$0.76 \$0.66 \$0.62	0 2 9
Total	200				11

Typical Occupancy Rate: 95% Waiting List: No Security Deposit: \$150 Concessions: Yes Utilities Included: None Turnover: Na

Amenities - Unit

Stove	Yes	Air Conditioning	Yes
Refrigerator	Yes	Cable Ready	Yes
Dishwasher	Yes	Carpeting	Yes
Disposal	Yes	Window Treatment	Yes
Washer/Dryer	Yes	Ceiling Fan	Yes
W/D Hook Up	Yes	Patio/Balcony	Yes

Amenities - Project

Mgmt Office	Yes	Pool	Yes
Laundry Room	No	Clubhouse	Yes
Fitness Ctr	No	Recreation Area	Yes
Storage	Yes	Picnic Area	Yes

Design: two-story walk-up

Remarks: offering a move-in special



9. Hampton Woods, 2325 Woodcrest

Contact: Fritz (5/9/08)

Date Built: 1989

Contact Type: Telephone interview

(770) 981-8268

Type: Market Rate
Condition: Very Good

Unit Type	Number	<u>Rent</u>	<u>Size</u> sf	Rent <u>Per SF</u>	Vacant
1BR/1b 1BR/1b 2BR/2b	120 48 176	\$649 \$644 \$789	573 652 1003	\$1.13 \$0.99 \$0.79	2 0 1
Total	344				3

Typical Occupancy Rate: 98% Waiting List: No Security Deposit: \$140 Concessions: No Utilities Included: None Turnover: Na

Amenities - Unit

Stove	Yes	Air Conditioning	Yes
Refrigerator	Yes	Cable Ready	Yes
Dishwasher	Yes	Carpeting	Yes
Disposal	Yes	Window Treatment	Yes
Washer/Dryer	No	Ceiling Fan	Yes
W/D Hook Up	Yes	Patio/Balcony	Yes

Amenities - Project

Mgmt Office	Yes	Pool	Yes
Laundry Room	Yes	Clubhouse	Yes
Fitness Ctr	Yes	Recreation Area	Yes
Storage	No	Picnic Area	No

Design: three-story walk-up

Remarks: does not accept Section 8



10. Highland Greens, 421 Meadowood Dr (770) 981-5450

Contact: Bobby (5/9/08)

Date Built: 1970

Contact Type: Telephone interview

Type: Market Rate Condition: Good

Unit Type	Number	Rent	<u>Size</u> sf	Rent <u>Per SF</u>	Vacant
2BR/1.5b 2BR/1.5b TH 2BR/2b 3BR/2b 3BR/2b TH Total	126 100 60 84 45 415	\$620-\$650 \$735-\$795 \$700 \$740 \$940	1248-1350	\$.49-\$.58 \$.59 \$.52-\$.65 \$.52 \$.59	2 2 2 2 2 10

Typical Occupancy Rate: 91%-94% Waiting List: No

Security Deposit: \$350 Utilities Included: None

Concessions: No Turnover: Na

Amenities - Unit

Stove Refrigerator	Yes Yes	Air Conditioning Cable Ready	Yes Yes
Dishwasher	Yes	Carpeting	Yes
Disposal	Yes	Window Treatment	Yes
Washer/Dryer	No	Ceiling Fan	Yes
W/D Hook Up	Yes	Patio/Balcony	No

Amenities - Project

Mamt Office	Yes	Pool	Yes
Laundry Room	Yes	Clubhouse	Yes
Fitness Ctr	Yes	Recreation Area	Yes
Storage	No	Picnic Area	Yes

Design: three-story walk-up

Remarks: does not accept Section 8



11. Highland Estates, 10 Creste Dr

(770) 593-0492

Contact: Laura, Lsg Cons. (5/9/08)

Date Built: 1988 (rehab in 2007)

Contact Type: Telephone interview

Type: Market Rate Condition: Very Good

				Rent	
Unit Type	Number	Rent	<u>Size</u> sf	Per SF	Vacant
1BR/1b TH	40	\$560	990	\$.57	3
2BR/1.5b TH	70	\$680	1250	\$.54	3
3BR/2.5b TH	20	\$805	1740	\$.46	2
4BR/3.5b TH	10	\$1040	2377	\$.44	2
Total	140				10

Typical Occupancy Rate: 93% Waiting List: No Security Deposit: \$300 Concessions: Yes Utilities Included: Trash Turnover: Na

Amenities - Unit

Stove	Yes	Air Conditioning	Yes
Refrigerator	Yes	Cable Ready	Yes
Dishwasher	Yes	Carpeting	Yes
Disposal	Yes	Window Treatment	Yes
Washer/Dryer	No	Ceiling Fan	Yes
W/D Hook Up	Yes	Patio/Balcony	Yes

Amenities - Project

Mgmt Office	Yes	Pool	Yes
Laundry Room	Yes	Clubhouse	Yes
Fitness Ctr	No	Recreation Area	Yes
Storage	Yes	Picnic Area	No

Design: townhouse

Remarks: concession on security deposit; a rent concession for 2BR & 3BR



12.Lexington on the Green, 5850 Hillandale Dr(770) 808-1181

Contact Type: Telephone interview

Unit Type	Number	<u>Rent</u>	<u>Size</u> sf	Rent Per SF	Vacant
1BR/1b 2BR/2b 3BR/2b	110 80 25	\$750 \$875 \$1040	884 1161 1354	\$.85 \$.75 \$.77	4 3 1
Total	215				8

Typical Occupancy Rate: 93% Waiting List: No Security Deposit: \$50 Concessions: Yes Utilities Included: Trash Turnover: Na

Amenities - Unit

Stove	Yes	Air Conditioning	Yes
Refrigerator	Yes	Cable Ready	Yes
Dishwasher	Yes	Carpeting	Yes
Disposal	Yes	Window Treatment	Yes
Washer/Dryer	No	Ceiling Fan	Yes
W/D Hook Up	Yes	Patio/Balcony	Yes

Amenities - Project

Mgmt Office	Yes	Pool	Yes
Laundry Room	Yes	Clubhouse	Yes
Fitness Ctr	Yes	Recreation Area	Yes
Storage	No	Picnic Area	Yes

Design: 3-story walk-up

Remarks: concession on security deposit; and rent concession



13.Oaks at Stonecrest, 2795 Evans Mill Rd (770) 482-1429

Contact: Ms Brittany, (5/9/08)

Date Built: 1970

Condition: Good

Type: Market Rate

Concessions: Yes

Contact Type: Telephone interview

				Rent	
Unit Type	Number	Rent	<u>Size</u> sf	Per SF	Vacant
1BR/1b	19	\$570	726	\$.79	4
2BR/1b	72	\$600	960	\$.63	4
2BR/1.5b	85	\$650	1008	\$.64	4
2BR/1.5b TH	72	\$695	1008	\$.69	4
3BR/2.5b TH	32	\$775	1276	\$.61	0
Total	280				16
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Typical Occupancy Rate: 85%-92% Waiting List: No

Security Deposit: \$99 Utilities Included: Trash

Utilities Included: Trash Turnover: Na

Amenities - Unit

Stove	Yes	Air Conditioning	Yes
Refrigerator	Yes	Cable Ready	Yes
Dishwasher	Yes	Carpeting	Yes
Disposal	Yes	Window Treatment	Yes
Washer/Dryer	No	Ceiling Fan	Yes
W/D Hook Up	Yes	Patio/Balcony	Yes

Amenities - Project

Mgmt Office	Yes	Pool	Yes
Laundry Room	Yes	Clubhouse	Yes
Fitness Ctr	Yes	Recreation Area	Yes
Storage	No	Picnic Area	No

Design: 2-story walk-up & townhouse

Remarks: concession on security deposit; and move-in special



14.Rainbow Forest, 3100 Rainbow Forest Cir (770) 243-0646

Contact: Ms Howard, (5/8/08)

Date Built: 1970

Type: Market Rate Condition: Good

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Contact Type	: Telephone	interview
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Unit Type	Number	Rent	Size sf	Rent Per SF	Vacant
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2BR/1.5b	40	\$675	1161	\$.58	1
2BR/2b	60	\$675	1161	\$.58	1
3BR/2b	30	\$775	1322	\$.59	0
3BR/2.5b	36	\$775	1464	\$.53	0
Total	166				2

Typical Occupancy Rate: 98% Waiting List: No Security Deposit: \$200 Concessions: No Utilities Included: Trash Turnover: Na

Amenities - Unit

Stove	Yes	Air Conditioning	Yes
Refrigerator	Yes	Cable Ready	Yes
Dishwasher	Yes	Carpeting	Yes
Disposal	Yes	Window Treatment	Yes
Washer/Dryer	No	Ceiling Fan	Some
W/D Hook Up	Yes	Patio/Balcony	Yes

Amenities - Project

Mgmt Office	Yes	Pool	Yes
Laundry Room	Yes	Clubhouse	Yes
Fitness Ctr	No	Recreation Area	Yes
Storage	No	Picnic Area	Yes

Design: 3-story walk-up

Remarks: does not accept Section 8



15.Retreat @ Stonecrest, 40 Amanda Dr (770) 482-3887

Contact: Ms Lashanda, Mgr (5/8/08)

Date Built: 2003

Contact Type: Telephone interview

Type: Market Rate Condition: Excellent

Unit Type	Number	Rent	<u>Size</u> sf	Rent <u>Per SF</u>	Vacant
1BR/1b	114	\$765	890	\$.86	5
2BR/2b	144	\$895	1120	\$.80	8
3BR/2b	18	\$1050	1350	\$.78	0
Total	276				13

Typical Occupancy Rate: 95% Waiting List: No Security Deposit: \$250 Concessions: No Utilities Included: Trash Turnover: Na

Amenities - Unit

Stove	Yes	Air Conditioning	Yes
Refrigerator	Yes	Cable Ready	Yes
Dishwasher	Yes	Carpeting	Yes
Disposal	Yes	Window Treatment	Yes
Washer/Dryer	No	Ceiling Fan	Yes
W/D Hook Up	Yes	Patio/Balcony	Yes

Amenities - Project

Mgmt Office	Yes	Pool	Yes
Laundry Room	Yes	Clubhouse	Yes
Fitness Ctr	Yes	Recreation Area	Yes
Storage	Yes	Picnic Area	No

Design: 3 & 4-story walk-up

Remarks: does not accept Section 8



16.Towering Pines, 6250 Hillandale Dr (770) 981-8803

Contact: Ms Diane, Lsg Cons (5/8/08) Type: Market Rate

Date Built: 1972

Contact Type: Telephone interview

Condition: Good

				Rent	
Unit Type	Number	Rent	<u>Size</u> sf	Per SF	<u>Vacant</u>
1BR/1b	60	\$495	727	\$.68	6
2BR/2b	92	\$595	964	\$.62	8
3BR/2b	48	\$730	1217	\$.60	6
4BR/2b	16	\$830	1515	\$.55	2
Total	216				22

Typical Occupancy Rate: 90% Waiting List: No Security Deposit: \$99 Concessions: Yes Utilities Included: water, sewer, trash Turnover: Na

Amenities - Unit

Stove	Yes	Air Conditioning	Yes
Refrigerator	Yes	Cable Ready	Yes
Dishwasher	Yes	Carpeting	Yes
Disposal	Yes	Window Treatment	Yes
Washer/Dryer	No	Ceiling Fan	Yes
W/D Hook Up	Yes	Patio/Balcony	Yes

Amenities - Project

Mgmt Office	Yes	Pool	Yes
Laundry Room	Yes	Clubhouse	Yes
Fitness Ctr	No	Recreation Area	Yes
Storage	Yes	Picnic Area	No

Design: 2 story walk-up

Remarks: about 15% of the unit are occupied by a Section 8 holder;

concession on security deposit



17. Walden Brook, 100 Walden Brook Dr (770) 322-1442

Contact: Angelica, (5/8/08)

Date Built: 2002

Contact Type: Telephone interview

Type: Market Rate Condition: Excellent

				Rent	
Unit Type	Number	Rent	<u>Size</u> sf	Per SF	Vacant
1BR/1b	60	\$695-\$858	732	\$.95-\$1.17	2
2BR/1b TH	18	\$858-\$886	1013	\$.85-\$.87	0
2BR/2b	128	\$895	1157-1252	\$.71-\$.77	0
3BR/2b	50	\$1015-\$1054	1425-1532	\$.69-\$.71	3
Total	256				5

Typical Occupancy Rate: 95% Waiting List: No Security Deposit: \$200 Concessions: Yes Utilities Included: trash Turnover: Na

Amenities - Unit

Stove	Yes	Air Conditioning	Yes
Refrigerator	Yes	Cable Ready	Yes
Dishwasher	Yes	Carpeting	Yes
Disposal	Yes	Window Treatment	Yes
Washer/Dryer	No	Ceiling Fan	Yes
W/D Hook Up	Yes	Patio/Balcony	Yes
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Amenities - Project

Mgmt Office	Yes	Pool	Yes
Laundry Room	Yes	Clubhouse	Yes
Fitness Ctr	Yes	Recreation Area	Yes
Storage	Yes	Picnic Area	Yes

Design: walk-up



18. Wesley Kensington, 100 Kensington Cir (770) 484-8887

Contact: Ms Alisa, (5/8/08)

Date Built: 2005

Type: Market Rate Condition: Excellent

Contact Type: Telephone interview

				Rent	
Unit Type	Number	Rent	<u>Size</u> sf	Per SF	<u>Vacant</u>
1BR/1b 2BR/2b	110 210	\$686 \$853	920 1280	\$.75 \$.67	10 10
3BR/2b	51	\$1016	1525	\$.67	5
Total	371				25

Typical Occupancy Rate: low 90's

Security Deposit: \$250 Utilities Included: None Waiting List: No Concessions: Yes Turnover: Na

Amenities - Unit

Stove	Yes	Air Conditioning	Yes
Refrigerator	Yes	Cable Ready	Yes
Dishwasher	Yes	Carpeting	Yes
Disposal	Yes	Window Treatment	Yes
Washer/Dryer	No	Ceiling Fan	Yes
W/D Hook Up	Yes	Patio/Balcony	Yes

Amenities - Project

Mgmt Office	Yes	Pool	Yes
Laundry Room	Yes	Clubhouse	Yes
Fitness Ctr	Yes	Recreation Area	Yes
Storage	Yes	Picnic Area	Yes

Design: walk-up



19. Wesley Providence, 100 Wesley Providence Pkwy (770) 482-6123

Contact: Ms Japonica, (5/8/08) Type: Market Rate Date Built: 2004 & 2007 (2 phases) Condition: Excellent

Contact Type: Telephone interview

				Rent	
Unit Type	Number	Rent	<u>Size</u> sf	<u>Per SF</u>	<u>Vacant</u>
1BR/1b 2BR/2b 3BR/2b	169 340 70	\$730-\$770 \$875-\$890 \$1100	920 1280 1525	\$.77-\$.84 \$.68-\$.70 \$.72	10 10 0
Total	579				20

Typical Occupancy Rate: mid 90's

Waiting List: No Security Deposit: \$250 Concessions: Yes Utilities Included: None Turnover: Na

Amenities - Unit

Stove	Yes	Air Conditioning	Yes
Refrigerator	Yes	Cable Ready	Yes
Dishwasher	Yes	Carpeting	Yes
Disposal	Yes	Window Treatment	Yes
Washer/Dryer	No	Ceiling Fan	Yes
W/D Hook Up	Yes	Patio/Balcony	Yes

Amenities - Project

Mgmt Office	Yes	Pool	Yes
Laundry Room	Yes	Clubhouse	Yes
Fitness Ctr	Yes	Recreation Area	Yes
Storage	Yes	Picnic Area	Yes

Design: walk-up



20. Wesley Stonecrest, 100 Wesley Stonecrest Cir (770) 484-0474

Contact: Ms "Vee", (5/9/08)

Type: Market Rate
Condition: Excellent

Contact Type: Telephone interview

Unit Type	Number	Rent	<u>Size</u> sf	Rent Per SF	Vacant
1BR/1b 2BR/2b 3BR/2b	65 131 22	\$721 \$834 \$1195	700 1000 1250	\$1.03 \$0.83 \$0.96	2 1 1
Total	218				4

Typical Occupancy Rate: 95% Waiting List: No Security Deposit: \$250 Concessions: Yes Utilities Included: None Turnover: Na

Amenities - Unit

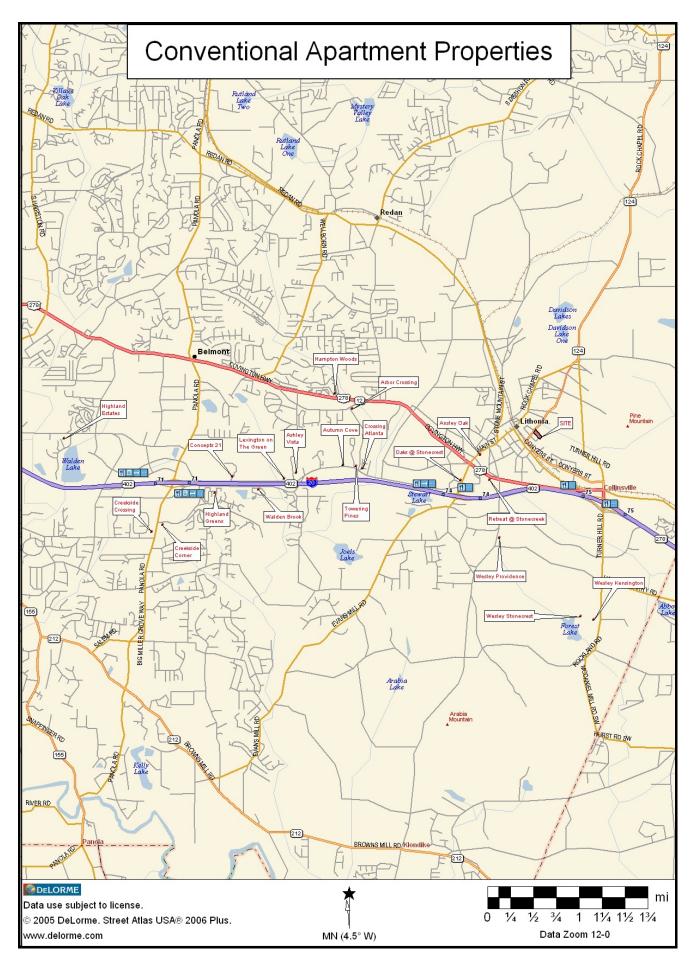
Stove	Yes	Air Conditioning	Yes
Refrigerator	Yes	Cable Ready	Yes
Dishwasher	Yes	Carpeting	Yes
Disposal	Yes	Window Treatment	Yes
Washer/Dryer	No	Ceiling Fan	Yes
W/D Hook Up	Yes	Patio/Balcony	Yes

Amenities - Project

Mgmt Office	Yes	Pool	Yes
Laundry Room	Yes	Clubhouse	Yes
Fitness Ctr	Yes	Recreation Area	Yes
Storage	Yes	Picnic Area	Yes

Design: walk-up





SECTION H

INTERVIEWS

he following are observations and comments relating to the subject property. They were obtained via a survey of local contacts interviewed during the course of the market study research process.

In most instances the project parameters of the proposed development were presented to the "key contact", in particular: the proposed site location, project size, bedroom mix, income targeting and net rents. The following statements/comments were made:

- (1) Ms. Mary Callaway, the Executive Director of the Housing Authority of Lithonia was interviewed, (770) 482-6563. Ms. Callaway stated that she was familiar with the application for the proposed subject development and that the Housing Authority was involved with the application. She is of the opinion that the subject development would do well as a LIHTC complex targeting families and thought that the proposed 2BR and 3BR units would rent well, given the proposed position of the LIHTC net rents and the lack of decent/livable affordable housing within the Lithonia city limits. She went on to state that the existing three 8-plexes were beyond the time of successful rehab. As a new infill development offering 50-units, of which some are market rate she was of the opinion that it would be readily accepted by the market.
- (2) None of the surveyed LIHTC properties within the PMA thought that the proposed development would negatively impact their properties. The likely reasons for this overall assessment are: (a) the subject development is small, only 50-units, and (b) the site location is within the Lithonia city limits offering rents that should bode well for it to fill quickly and not put long term competitive pressure on the other LIHTC and tax Exempt Bond properties already located within the PMA.
- (3) Barry, a leasing consultant for the Alexander at Stonecrest LIHTC/Market Rate apartment development was interviewed, (770) 482-7759. Barry stated that the market readily accepts LIHTC 3BR units, i.e. large units. "They fill up the quickest and stay occupied the longest". The fact that the proposed development will offer 3BR-units will greatly assist in its rate of absorption.
- (4) Ms. Kathy Cox, Manager, of the Cambridge Heights (formerly known as the Hillandale Park Apartments) acquisition/rehab LIHTC apartments was interviewed, (770) 981-6323. Ms Cox stated that her property was in its final stages of rehab and that the units/buildings that have been rehabed have filled 100%. Her property offers both 2BR and 3BR units and she stated that the rehabed 3BR units are in great demand and typically get rented first.
- (5) Antonio, a leasing consultant for the Chapel Run (Bond) Apartments was interviewed, (770)808-5777. Chapel Run is a 172-unit development which like other area LIHTC properties has a number of Section 8 voucher holders as tenants and a small waiting list. It is a good representation of market acceptance by area low to moderate income households for LIHTC properties within the PMA, in particular by families in need.

SECTION I

CONCLUSIONS & RECOMMENDATION

s proposed in Section B of this study, it is of the opinion of the analyst, based on the findings in the market study that the Villages at Park View (a proposed LIHTC / Market Rate property) targeting the general population should proceed forward with the development process.

Detailed Support of Recommendation

- 1. Product Mix The target group is large enough to absorb the proposed product development of 50 units.
- 2. Assessment of rents The proposed net rents will be competitive to very competitive in the PMA.
- 3. The current apartment market is **not** representative of an over saturated market, for well maintained, well amenitized and professionally managed properties.
- **4.** The proposed complex unit amenity package is considered to be competitive to very competitive within the PMA.
- 5. Stabilized occupancy, subsequent to initial lease-up, is forecasted to be 93% or higher.
- 6. The site location is considered to be marketable.
- 7. The proposed development will not negatively impact the existing supply of program assisted LIHTC family properties within the Subject PMA. This is primarily owing to the relatively small size of the proposed subject development in relation to area competitive LIHTC properties.

SECTION J

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SECTION K

IDENTITY OF INTEREST

I affirm that I have made a physical inspection of the market and the subject property and that information has been used in the full study of the need and demand for the proposed units. To the best of my knowledge, the market can support the project as shown in the study. I understand that any misrepresentation of this statement may result in the denial of further participation in DCA's rental housing programs. I also affirm that I have no interest in the project or relationship with the ownership entity and my compensation is not contingent on this project being funded.

CERTIFICATION

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Market Analyst Certification and Checklist

Signed:_____ Date:____

I understand that by initializing (or checking) the following items, I am stating those items are included and/or addressed in the report. It an item is not checked, a full explanation is included in the report.

The report was written to DCA's market study requirements, that the information included is accurate and that the report can be relied upon by DCA as a true assessment of the low-income housing rental market.

I also certify that I have inspected the subject property as well as all rent comparables.

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